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SECRET TREATIES READ IN SENATE

Tend to Show France and Russia Started World War.

OFFERED BY SENATOR OWEN

Latter Explains Documents Said to Have Been Entered Into Between Russia and France, Under Which They Arranged to Begin a War of Aggression Against the Central Powers.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Translations of documents purported to have been obtained from the secret archives of the old Russian monarchy, tending to show that France and Russia were responsible for the world war, were placed in the senate record by Senator Owen of Oklahoma.

The senator spoke for more than an hour, explaining the documents and secret treaties entered into by France and Russia, under which they arranged to begin a war of aggression upon Germany, Russia to attack from the east and France from the west. The drafting of these secret agreements without the knowledge of the French parliament was made possible by the laws of France, the senator declared.

"The records show," the senator said, "that the Russian and French leaders were determined on war and intended the mobilizations as the beginning of a war which had for many years been deliberately prepared and worked out by the complete plans of campaign through annual military conferences."

Among the documents submitted by Senator Owen were minutes of secret conferences in 1902, 1912, 1913.

Another document showing that Russia's act of mobilization of her armies on the German frontier prior to Germany's formal declaration of war on Aug. 1, 1914, was in effect and was intended to be a secret declaration of war by Russia upon Germany.

"The evidence appears to show," Senator Owen said, "that it was the Russian policy to invade Germany without a declaration of war and to make mobilization complete under the camouflage of peaceful negotiations. This was strictly in line with the Franco-Russian treaty of 1892. The secret treaty provided that in case Austria or any other nation in the triple alliance should begin to mobilize, France and Russia, at the first indication of the event and without a previous agreement being necessary, should immediately and simultaneously mobilize their forces and transport them as near the frontier as possible. It also provided that these forces shall begin complete action with the greatest dispatch, so that Germany will have to fight at the same time in the east and in the west."

Senator Owen pointed out that Austria was ignorant of the existence of this secret agreement, therefore, when Austria started mobilization, France and Russia immediately launched their plans for the attack upon Germany in the manner provided for in the secret treaty.

McDONALD'S NEW PLAN

Bertillon Measurements to Be Taken of Dry Law Violators.

Columbus, Dec. 19.—State Prohibition Commissioner McDonald announced that plans had been perfected whereby each convicted liquor law violator who has been committed to jail will be sent through the identification bureau of the city in which the conviction was made.

The plan, which is believed by both state and federal authorities to be of material advantage in increasing the number of second and third convictions for liquor offenses, will become effective in Ohio at once.

The idea has been recommended by both state and federal authorities as a great step forward. Under the present law finger prints and Bertillon measurements can be taken only from those who are unable to pay fines and are imprisoned. Up to this time, however, according to prohibition heads, this section of the state law, providing that any person committed to jail for an offense against the state is subject to police identification, has been generally ignored insofar as prohibition laws are concerned.

It also was indicated that attempts will be made, through the legislature, to bring about a law by which all liquor violators would be "mugged," whether they are imprisoned or not.

MANUEL ROXAS

Speaker of the Philippine House of Representatives.



VON KAHR ISSUES WARNING

Revolutionary Plot Reported Brewing in Bavaria.

Berlin, Dec. 19.—Preparations for a new revolution to be staged in Bavaria have become so loud that an official warning against it was issued by Dictator Von Kahr, who has been running things for weeks from behind barbed wire barricades while preparing a vigorous trial for Hitler and Ludendorff on treason charges.

His warning reads: "There are indications that certain elements are seeking to exploit for their own political purposes, the general distress which nobody would be able to lift in a day. Every disturbance of the public peace must only increase the suffering. Everybody is expressly warned against such an attempt."

There are rumors that a new putsch is being planned by the "Nationalist Socialists," Hitler's former organization, to begin in January, at the time of the Hitler-Ludendorff treason trial.

SENATE DEADLOCK REMAINS UNBROKEN

Leaders Reported Worried Over the Insurgent Menace.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Leaders responsible for the administration's program in the senate have arrived at the point of being not only upset, but actually worried, over the "menace" of the progressive group, which has blocked all their efforts to organize the interstate commerce committee.

This was after nine more ballots had failed to bring about the election of a compromise and had demonstrated conclusively that Senator Cummins could not possibly be elected. The regulars now apparently are faced with the alternative of accepting Senator Smith of South Carolina, Democrat, as chairman or some Republican member of the committee other than Cummins.

On each successive ballot the insurgents, who are insisting that the country demands amendment or repeal of the Esch-Cummins law, held the balance of power. They jerked their votes back from Couzens of Michigan, advocate of public ownership, to Smith, giving the latter votes to send him away ahead of Cummins and bringing him within four votes of the number needed to elect. Twenty-three ballots have been taken and the defenders of the Esch-Cummins act are just as far away from naming the chairman as they were when they started.

Britton Stages Come Back.

New York, Dec. 19.—Jack Britton, former welterweight champion, staged a successful comeback here last night, when he decisively outpointed Phil Kaplan of New York, in a 10-round bout at the Pioneer club. Kaplan never had a chance with the veteran ex-champion and was on the defensive throughout the fight.

Vera Cruz Only Closed Port.

Bgaumont, Tex., Dec. 19.—Vera Cruz alone on the Gulf of Mexico is affected by the closed port order of President Obregon of Mexico, according to announcement by the Mexican consul here. Previously it was erroneously reported that Tampico also was closed by executive order.

WOULD PRESS BONUS MEASURE

Soldier Bloc in House to Force Party Caucus.

PETITIONS IN CIRCULATION

Democratic Members of Ways and Means Committee Allege Plot to Kill the Bonus by Delay—Scheduled Meeting of Committee Called Off at Last Moment—Chairman Green Issues Formal Statement.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Charges of a scheme to kill the soldier bonus by delay were made by Democrats when a scheduled meeting of the house ways and means committee was called off by the Republican leaders because it was learned a motion was to be made to give the bonus the right of way.

The Republican leaders' purpose in seeking to prevent action on the bonus bill is twofold, the Democrats assert. First, it is alleged, the plan is to give ample time for the operation of the powerful propaganda now being carried on to change enough votes to defeat the measure by stirring up opposition back home; second, the charges continue, it is the intention to hold up the bill while pressure is being exercised to line up a sufficient number of senators to sustain President Coolidge's expected veto.

The meeting of the ways and means committee had been called to map out a program for consideration of the Mellon tax reduction recommendations and the bonus. The sudden decision to cancel the call was communicated to the members a few minutes before the session was scheduled to begin.

Chairman Green frankly said in a formal statement that suspension of the meeting was determined upon when notice was served on him that an effort would be made to prevent the tentative plan of procedure agreed upon by the Republican leaders being carried out. There had been a complete understanding between the members of the two parties represented on the committee, he declared, to take up first the administrative features of the treasury tax bill.

Chairman Green at the next meeting will propose that the administrative features of the bill be taken up and completed before it is determined what course shall be followed in the case of the bonus. It is not certain how this motion will be received. Representative Rainey (Dem., Ill.) announced that he will offer his motion to give the bonus precedence and force a test vote.

Leaders in the soldier bloc in the house announced after the issuance of the Green statement that they will have more than a sufficient number of signatures to petitions now being circulated to force a party conference on the bonus question when the session is reconvened Jan. 3. The conference, the ex-service men asserted, is to get the ways and means committee on the way with the bonus bill first.

BANDIT SLAIN

Attempted to Rob Relative of the Late Admiral Dewey.

Newark, N. J., Dec. 19.—Frank E. Dewey, second cousin of the late Admiral Dewey, shot and killed a bandit who attempted to rob him of the payroll of the Newark Dress company. Dewey, paymaster for the company, had the factory payroll, amounting to \$1,700 in a satchel. He had entered the building and was mounting the steps when two men who followed him ordered him to hold up his hands. Dewey dropped the satchel which he carried in his right hand and turning around fired with his left hand a revolver which he had in his coat pocket. One of the bandits dropped to the floor. Dewey seized his satchel and leaped into the company offices. The pal of the dead bandit escaped.

Chioan Implicated.

Wheeling, W. Va., Dec. 19.—Teddy Ryan of Salem, O., has been named as the second bandit in the Becker jewelry store holdup here last week, when \$15,000 in diamonds were stolen, and for which Joe Carney, escaped convict from the Ohio penitentiary, is being held, having fully confessed to his part in the robbery.

Hoppe Wins Second Block.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—The second block of the world's title at 18.2 ball-line, billiards went to Willie Hoppe, with Cochran scoring 223. The total score for the two blocks played thus far is: Hoppe 1,000, Cochran 426.

MRS. R. S. COPELAND

Wife of the United States Senator From New York.



DOINGS IN OHIO

Fatal Duel.

Ironton, O., Dec. 19.—Calvin Tackett, 45, said to be from Pike county, Ky., was shot and instantly killed at Lisman Junction, Lawrence county, by Charles Hayes, who alleged Tackett marched him up a hollow at the point of a gun for the announced purpose of shooting him to death. In the hollow, according to Hayes, Tackett shot twice and missed. Hayes then drew and fired four times. Hayes surrendered.

Mayor Pleads Not Guilty.

Toledo, Dec. 19.—Twenty-two Tiffin residents, including Mayor Adolph Unger, pleaded not guilty to charges of conspiracy to violate the national prohibition laws, in the alleged operation of a million dollar liquor ring in Tiffin, when they appeared in federal court here. Trial of the case was set for Jan. 14 by Federal Judge Kilgus. All were released on \$1,000 bonds.

Inherits Millions.

Ravenna, O., Dec. 19.—William Dunham, 55, a modest grocer here, was informed that he has inherited nearly \$2,000,000, part of the \$13,000,000 estate of the late Edward Jennings, Chicago, who died without leaving any direct heirs. Dunham was a second cousin of Jennings. He and three brothers and three sisters, all living in Ohio, will share in the huge fortune.

Crabbe Act Upheld.

Columbus, Dec. 19.—Ohio supreme court indirectly upheld the constitutionality of that section of the Crabbe act which makes a third violation of the dry law a penitentiary offense. The court refused to admit to review the appeal of August Sissea, whom the Licking county courts had sentenced to the pen for violating the dry law three times.

Bandits Rob Loan Associations.

Cleveland, Dec. 19.—Four men held up and robbed the International Building and Loan association of between \$10,000 and \$11,000. Later two armed bandits held up Mrs. Clara Pinkade, cashier of the Acme Savings and Loan company in the company's offices and escaped with approximately \$1,000.

Struck by Streetcar.

Cleveland, Dec. 19.—Mrs. May McWethy, 33, Maple Heights, was killed here by a streetcar, which struck her auto. The machine was so loaded with Christmas gifts that Mrs. McWethy had purchased that evidently she was unable to see the approaching car.

Burglars Take Gowns.

Lorain, O., Dec. 19.—Thieves entered the Style Center, women's apparel store here, and stole evening gowns and fur coats valued at \$1,500.

Boy Killed.

Columbus, Dec. 19.—While stealing a ride Kenneth Clifton, 13, was knocked from the steps of a streetcar by another car and instantly killed.

Drivers Didn't Stop.

Youngstown, O., Dec. 19.—Michael Oland, 30, died soon after two autos had struck him, near this city. Neither driver stopped.

Placed on Probation.

Cleveland, Dec. 19.—Herbert F. Eller, wealthy clubman and sportsman, on trial here on charges of insanity, preferred by Miss Harriett Wright, his former fiancée, was placed on probation by Judge Madden when the case was closed in probate court.

FEAT CUTS OFF REBEL RETREAT

Important Rail Center Taken By Mexican Troops.

PUEBLA NOW BEING STORMED

General Sanchez Meets With Defeat at Hands of Federals, According to Reports Reaching the American Consul at Vera Cruz—American Government Maintaining Hopeful View of Mexican Situation.

Washington, Dec. 19.—The Mexican embassy issued a formal statement confirming the capture of the important railroad center of San Marcos by federal troops.

This places the government in a position to cut off the retreat of rebels from Puebla, which is now being stormed. It was declared several trains and a naval gun that had been mounted on a flat car were taken from the rebels and the federal cavalry is now in pursuit, the statement continues.

Advices from George T. Summerlin, American charge d'affaires at Mexico City, appear to confirm this. He was advised by the foreign office, he reported, that a decisive engagement was launched by federal troops along the eastern frontier Monday. The American consul at Vera Cruz, in a separate dispatch, says that rumors reaching the headquarters of the rebel movement are to the effect that General Guadalupe Sanchez had met with defeat at the hands of the federals.

The Mexican embassy statement, based on dispatches just received, adds: "Peaceful conditions throughout the northern and central states remain undisturbed. Complete calm and tranquility prevail in the whole state of Morelos. Reports received from San Luis Potosi are to the effect that General Calles has arrived there and is now engaged in organizing volunteer corps from farmers, who have offered their services to quell the rebellion. President Obregon, after inspecting portions of the states of Vera Cruz and Puebla, returned to Mexico City. General Estrada and General Mayol have expressed to other leaders of the uprising their disavowal of De la Huerta's assumed authority as chief of the rebellion. The entire diplomatic and consular corps have expressed their loyalty to the legal authorities."

A white house spokesman declared that this government maintains its friendly and hopeful view of the situation. It was emphasized that so far nothing had occurred to change the policy of this government, and it is hoped that the two conventions in which recognition is based soon will be ratified.

KING GEORGE QUITS GREECE

Boards Yacht With Queen Elizabeth, Bound For Roumania.

London, Dec. 19.—King George and Queen Elizabeth left Greece last night bound for Roumania. The royal party is aboard the yacht Esperia. It is learned that several telegrams have been sent by the British foreign office to the legations at Athens to use every endeavor to secure the safety of the royal family.

Former Premier Venizelos, who was urged by King George to return to Greece, intends to stay in Paris, in view of developments. Premier Poincare of France, according to foreign office information, has definitely declined the appeals of the Serbian and Roumanian monarchs to intervene in behalf of the Greek dynasty.

In the last few months Republican and pro-Venizelist sentiment in Greece has been growing rapidly. Saturday the long deferred national elections took place. The returns showed such a preponderance of liberal republican sentiment that the government Monday informed King George in writing that it considered it advisable for him to leave Greece until the national assembly had decided on the regime best befitting the country.

McCormick Buys Opera Company?

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Harold F. McCormick and his wife, Mme. Ganna Walska, have gone to New York, the Harvester magnate's secretary declared when questioned in regard to the reported purchase by Mr. McCormick of the Wagnerian Opera company. Mrs. McCormick's secretary refused to confirm or deny the report. According to reports here, Mme. Walska made several appearances with the opera under the name of "Devah Navarre."

LARGEST IN WORLD

Huge Hydro-Electric Unit Placed in Commercial Operation.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Dec. 19.—The largest hydro-electric unit in the world was placed in commercial operation here in the new plant of the Niagara Falls Power company, in the lower gorge. The unit weighs more than 1,750 tons. It consists of a 70,000 horsepower hydraulic turbine attached to an electric generator delivering 52,000 kilowatts at 12,000 volts—the first of three such units to be installed in the \$12,000,000 project. When completed the station will house units with a total capacity of 454,000 horsepower.

The new unit uses 3,200 cubic feet of water a second, with an efficiency of at least 93 per cent. It demands only the same amount of water, however, as was formerly used by seven 5,000 horsepower units, although it delivers energy equivalent to the output of 14 such units.

To Draft Tax Code.

Columbus, Dec. 19.—City officials of Ohio adjourned their meeting here after appointing a committee to draft laws to be submitted to the state legislature in an effort to secure financial relief for Ohio cities. Members of the committee include Law Director Dotson of Toledo, C. W. Osborn, city attorney-elect of Youngstown, and Law Directors Harshman and Savord of Dayton and Sandusky.

TO PRESBYTERIAN CAMP

Spreads the Verbal Battle Over the Questions of Creed.

New York, Dec. 19.—The battle over the questions of creed which has waged between fundamentalists and modernists of the Episcopal and Baptist churches has spread to the Presbyterian camp.

Three prominent pastors signed the pamphlet, which repudiates the five "articles of faith," drawn up by the Presbyterian general assembly at Indianapolis last May. They are: Dr. William Pierson Merrill, the Rev. Tertius Van Dyke and the Rev. Theodore Savage, secretary of the Church Extension society.

While Bishop Manning continued his silence in the Episcopal controversy following the challenge of the Rev. Leighton Parks to try him for heresy, it became known that the modernists will seek control of the denomination's ecclesiastical affairs at the next general convention in New Orleans in 1925.

HERE AND THERE

Loss was placed at \$200,000 in a fire which threatened the business district of Columbus, Ga.

Coroner George E. Blood of Chautauque county, N. Y., has returned a verdict in the wreck of the Twentieth Century Limited at Forsyth crossing in which he holds no one criminally responsible for the killing of nine persons and injury to a score of others.

Attempts by residents of Marlow, Okla., to enforce an unwritten law prohibiting negroes from living within the village limits resulted in a gun battle and in the killing of Albert Berch, hotel proprietor, and Robert Joinigen, negro porter.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.

Cattle—Top steers, \$11.50; bulk of sales, \$7.50@9.25; stockers and feeders, \$5.50@7.50; calves, \$7.50@9.25.
Hogs—Top, \$7.20; bulk of sales, \$5.85@7.15; packing sows, \$5.40@6.65; pigs, \$5.40@6.60.
Sheep and Lambs—Native spring lambs, \$10@12.50; ewes, \$5.50@7.
Receipts—Cattle, 11,000; hogs, 65,000; sheep and lambs, 12,000.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 19.

Cattle—Steers, \$4@9.50; heifers, \$3.75@6.75; cows, \$2.50@5.50; bulls, \$2.75@5.25; calves, \$5@12.50.
Hogs—Yorkers, \$7.35; mediums and heavies, \$7.50; pigs and lights, \$6.75; roughs, \$5; stags, \$4.50.
Sheep and Lambs—Lambs, \$10@12.50; sheep, \$2@7.
Receipts—Cattle, 1,000; hogs, 4,000; sheep and lambs, 1,500.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 19.

Cattle—Steers, \$9.50@10; heifers, \$7@9; cows, \$5@8.25; calves, top, \$12.
Hogs—Heavies, heavy Yorkers and lights, \$7.25; mediums, \$7.10; light shippers, \$7; fat sows, \$5.55@7.75; pigs, \$4.55@6.25; stags, \$4@4.75.
Sheep and Lambs—Lambs, \$4@13; sheep, \$1@5.50.
Receipts—Cattle, 400; hogs, 6,000; sheep and lambs, 275.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 19.

Butter—Fancy creamery, \$2@2.40; Ohio rolls, \$2@2.20; store packed, 30c.
Eggs—Ohio firsts, 46c.
Live Poultry—Young chickens, 18@23c; old hens, 17@23c; old roosters, 13@14c.
Wool—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces: Delaine unwashed, 55c; fine unwashed, 18@19c; half blood combing, 55c; three-fourths blood combing, 54@55c.

BOSTON, Dec. 19.

Wool—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces: Delaine unwashed, 55c; fine unwashed, 18@19c; half blood combing, 55c; three-fourths blood combing, 54@55c.
TOLEDO, Dec. 19.
Cattle, 49@50c; cloverseed, \$13.05.

THE WEATHER.

Ohio—Rain tonight or Thursday.

ANCHOR WINDWARD

By ADA M. B. STEVENS

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THE shallow harbor of Pebbly Beach was wracked by the storm. If this continued, it would not be long before the fishermen must put away their eel-pots and get ready for the run of cod. John turned a trained eye on the weather and thought with satisfaction of the deep-sea fishing, when he could go out with his friend, Dave, and leave his wife, Mary, to tend the cabin on the shore. Mary, a village girl, could not bear Dave and was jealous of his wife.

The storm was not only over the waters, but it brooded in the cabin, for there was Dave's boat across the little harbor. Its lights winked and beckoned, winked and beckoned, with the rocking of the waves. John felt his wife's eye upon him.

"You'll not go over to Dave's tonight, John?" Mary caught the white enamel cup as it slid to the edge of the table. "No use to think of coffee till the tide turns. It's a cold supper tonight, John, and a rough night for the little Mary Ann."

John felt helpless before her intuition. Her little figure, drawn to the uncompromising severity born of a

host of rock-bound ancestors, seemed repellent in its unwelcome judgment.

"You'll not go over tonight?" She spoke slowly. John made no reply. He ate his cold supper of bread with ham and cheese. He missed his coffee. No use to light the stove or set a pot upon its swaying top. When he had it, he often went to sleep on one of the broad bunkers and forgot the lure of the headlight across the way.

John ate the last crumb of his bread and wiped his mouth on the back of his broad hand. Then he opened the door and looked out. The cozy cabin across the small harbor lured him. "It's not so bad," he muttered; "I won't stay long."

"Put out the heavy anchor, anyway," Mary's voice sounded resigned. Many a time she'd helped him heave its rasping length. John thought her sullen now. He liked best a woman who could laugh and weep and think no shame of it. He answered eagerly.

"No, I'll not put the big anchor out. The small anchor will hold till I come back." He loosed the rope that held the swaying dory. "Hang out the lantern in half an hour!" He tried to put some sternness into his voice.

Her laugh came unpleasantly along the rail. He heard the key turn in the cabin door, and swore under his breath. Then the memory of David's cheerful cabin cheered him, and he pushed into the sea. It pulled the oars in his strong hands. Soon the struggle absorbed him. It was a feat to tie up

safely on Dave's lee side and climb aboard.

"I won't stay long," he cried in answer to the hearty greetings. "It's a nasty night and the girl's alone."

The cabin was cozy. There were merry words, and jokes beyond his Mary's appetite. John felt exhilarated. It did him good. Why should he leave? Here was warmth and joy. What mattered tides or storms? This was nothing to that storm off Newfoundland—and he launched into a yarn. Then, in the heat, he dozed.

He woke to find a graying in the sky. A change of temperature had pulled the mist from the still rolling waves. No light penetrated the dark to lead him to his boat. Where was the Mary Ann? He woke up Dave, a panic seizing him. Suppose his wife had floated out to sea! He had not meant to stay! Of all things she was the most desirable.

Round and round they rowed, until at last the dawn threw up the shadow of the vessel dragged against the rocks. The taut rope of the forward anchor dipped and ran. Had Mary put it out alone? He tied up to the rail with trembling hands and then he saw her crumpled on the deck.

'Twas Dave who cut the rope that held her down and took her fainting to the cabin, applying rough seaman's remedies. She opened eyes that smiled and closed again. They made the long trip to the hospital.

A day of cruel waiting followed.

then John tiptoed to the bed. Somehow, through his awkward posture on the edge of the straight-backed chair, he saw that she sensed his new humility. She put a tired hand in his, while the other lay purple in its sling.

"Was it enough?" Her voice came weakly, faltering.

"Yes," John blessed her reticence. "There'll never be another night like that for you, my lass."

Then, somehow, there was Dave back by the door. He entered awkwardly. "The next time your man comes, you come too," he said.

Then Mary smiled, and by the simple alchemy of unformed thought working instinctively to build a new foundation for two lives the gulf was spanned between them. Dave had faded out of sight.

John bent over his woman, who had so bravely tried to save herself and the boat, Mary Ann. He vowed that in the choice of good or ill his Mary was the best; the rest could go.

"The cod are running?" She whispered it. "The season's done. We'll take another turn next year."

John straightened up. "So help me God!" he said.

Odd Recipe for Longevity.

Mrs. Elizabeth Watson of Dalston, Eng., who has attained the age of one hundred and two years, ascribes her longevity to plain fare of roast beef and beer.

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FRIEDMAN'S

APPAREL FOR WOMEN



Part of the Game.
A referee has lodged a complaint against the football club on whose grounds he was assaulted by several spectators who disagreed with his decisions. Although sympathizing with him we fear his attempt to rob our national game of its most sporting element will not meet with general approval.—Punch, London.

Never Alone.
The man who lives under an habitual sense of the divine presence keeps up a perpetual cheerfulness of temper, and enjoys every moment the satisfaction of thinking himself in company with his dearest and best of friends. The time never lies heavy upon him: it is impossible for him to be alone.—Joseph Addison.

Eyes of Plants.
Of course we know that trees have circulation, not of blood but of sap, that goes upward in the spring and downward in the autumn. It has been demonstrated also that plants have eyes, certain epidermal cells being really convex lenses filled with clear sap that brings the light rays to a focus somewhere within the cells. These little lenses are able to form images just as the eyes of insects do.

"Fire Tree" of Australia.
One of the most extraordinary of Australian trees is the "fire tree" which is common in New South Wales. When in full bloom it is a mass of flame-colored flowers, and looks like a tree on fire.

Think This Over.
You don't have to belong to the "laboring classes" to be honest; you don't have to belong to the "capitalistic class" to become wealthy. Most other popular beliefs are about as well founded as those.—Exchange.

Hotel Stenographer
BY ROE FULKERSON

"What do you call him?" asked the House Detective watching the old gentleman who had just left her desk.

"I always call what they ain't," replied the Hotel Stenographer. "So I guess I called that old boy 'kid,' or something."

"Kelly, I meet all ages in this job of taking letters from hotel guests. If I have learned anything about men from the assortment of traveling guys bootleggers, bankers and college boys who have dictated letters to me it is that you must call 'em what they are not."

"If I call a wicked old man a wicked old man he gets mad, but if he tries to take me out to dinner and I tell him that he is a bad boy he swells up like a poisoned pup and leaves a dollar as a tip."

"If a college boy dictates a letter home to papa for money and then wants to take me out that night to dance with him, I would make him mad if I tell him I do not play with kids, but if I tell him I am afraid to go out evenings with wicked men of the world, he beams like a searchlight and, just to show he is a man of the world drops a dollar tip on the desk and breezes on his way as happy as I am."

"If they are fat, I tell them they must be wonderful dancers; if they are thin, I compliment their figures. My theory is that none of us are trying to make people think we are what we are not. Yet, in spite of us, exactly what we are sticks out all over us like the stripes on a zebra."

"But if you want people's money you've got to make 'em happy and so I always try to please them by making them believe they are what I know they are not, for I know they do not want to be thought what they really are!"

Not Altogether Aged.
There is a woman in our neighborhood who is eighty years of age, but who walks with an erectness and springiness that is the envy of women many years younger than she. The other day my young daughter saw her pass, and, turning to me, she said: "Mother, her face is much older than her legs, don't you think?"—Exchange.

Expert Savage Fishermen.
The Sandwich Islanders and the people of the Ladronees are exceptional as savage fishermen, having no fear of fairly deep water. The latter think nothing of going fishing in 13 fathoms in light canoes called proas, rigged with one sail, in the construction of which their ancestors most likely copied the Malay pirates.

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HORSES.

2 Sorrel geldings, 8 years old weight 3200; 1 bay gelding, 8 years old, weight 1700, 1 brown gelding 8 years old, weight 1700.

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3 Milk cows, fresh in spring.

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One Deering binder 8-foot cut and tractor hitch, 1 Oliver cultipacker, 1 tractor Oliver disc, 1 3-bottom tractor plow, 1 two-row Ballou cultivator, 2 Oliver breaking plows, 14 inch, 2 3-horse eveners, 1 12-7 Hoosier wheat drill, 1 corn planter, 1 walking cultivator, 1 Webber wagon, 1 feed wagon, 2 double sets work harness, 1 power feed grinder, 1 Huber tractor, 1 manure spreader, 3 feed sleds, 4 feed boxes, 3 2-horse drags, 12 7x7 hog houses 58 7-foot panels for hog pens, all above articles practically new.

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A desk as a gift will be used and appreciated for years to come. Make your selection from our stock.

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The giving of comfort chairs for Christmas is a practice deservedly gaining in popularity each year. To allow you plenty of choice we have provided a most liberal collection of late designs upholstered in the newest designs.

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From our present ample display of Lamps, choosing one or more suited for Gift giving is a real pleasure.

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BACK ON OLD JOB.

Edward A. Schreiner, who was instructor in the shoe department of the vocational department at Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, for over a year has resigned to accept his old position at Sweyer's Quick Shoe Repair shop. Mr. Schreiner is an expert shoe repair man and Mr. Sweyer is to be congratulated in securing his services. A. E. Steele who was with Mr. Sweyer for over a year, has resigned to accept a position with the Millet-Lerch Shoe Manufacturing company, Columbus.

FOR QUICK SALE.

1918 Ford touring \$50.
1920 Ford coupe \$235.
Ford ton truck with body and cab, almost new Kelly caterpillar tires in rear and motor in good running order \$150.
R. L. BREHMER.
19dec23w1.

Whitewash.

Sprinkle whitewash on the surface of a carload of coal is the Chinese method of discouraging theft. The vigilant eye of the watchman easily detects the slightest disturbance of the contents.

A Texas Home Rule.

Our position simply is that a married man should finish washing the dishes before he takes his smoke.—Dallas News.

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Guaranteed fine singers from imported stock. Beautiful birds for holiday gifts.

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18dec22

New 1924 Ford coupe \$540.

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17dec23.

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The Julia McEwing property, corner of Mound and Washington. This is a very desirable property with all modern conveniences. For particulars apply,

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\$450 Janssen upright piano; sale price \$300. Just like new. Phone 8541.

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The five room house of the late Mrs. C. E. Sears located on South Washington street. Inquire of J. B. Woods at Sears-Nichols Canning Co.

8dec220.

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Boys over 16 years of age to learn the broom-making trade. Inquire at 544 Clinton street.

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Pupils to learn dancing 75c a lesson. Children preferred. All lessons private.

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11dec26.

FARM BUREAU

Live Stock Commissions Set Up at Buffalo, Cleveland and Pittsburg.

In the last one and one-half years, the Farm Bureau has been responsible for setting up live stock commission houses at Buffalo, Cleveland and Pittsburg, the three principle markets to which most of Ohio's live stock is consigned. Plans are also under way for starting a commission house at Cincinnati.

In spite of the fact that these commission houses were at first boycotted by buyers especially at Buffalo and in spite of all the propaganda circulated against them, they have come to the front in each of their respective yards and are now handling far more business than the old line companies. During the week ending December 8, the cooperative commission house at Buffalo handled 239 decks of live stock, whereas the nearest competitor handled only 113 and only two competitors handled 100 decks. The Cleveland cooperative commission house has lead the market for a great many weeks while the youngest of the commission houses at Pittsburg during the past month has taken the lead in amount of live stock handled.

These cooperative commission houses are run on the patronage plan whereby shippers receive dividends according to the amount of live stock consigned. During the past year, commission houses in the midwestern states paid dividends amounting to approximately thirty-five per cent of the commission collected or an average of five dollars per single deck of hogs.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

The premier dance of the holiday season to be given in honor of the young people, who will be home from college for the holidays will be given at the Parish house New Year's afternoon. It will be a Leap Year tea dance and the hours will be from three to six. The music will be furnished by the famous quartet of the State university, The Scarlet Masque Players, which will be an entertainment in itself. This dance will probably be the largest social event of the holiday season and many out of town young folks are expected to be present. An entertainment committee will provide novelty dances and is preparing a most interesting program.

At the meeting of the Monday club this week the response to roll call was given with Christmas thought. A paper read by Miss Carrie Johnson and a talk given by the president, Mrs. W. T. Ulm, were given on The Holy Land. "Holy Night" was sung by the members. Mrs. W. J. Graham was elected to membership.

The president concluded the program by treating the ladies to bonbons.

The December meeting of the Jackson township W. C. T. U. was held Wednesday afternoon, December 12, at the home of Mrs. Ida Rader. There was a good attendance of both members and visitors. Interesting W. C. T. U. literature was read by Mrs. Ida Rader, Miss Mary Shortridge and Mrs. John Ward. The county superintendent, Mrs. Lucy B. Price, gave some interesting advice to the union. Devotionals were in charge of Mrs. Modie Renick. After the program and the addition of four new members to the union refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held January 9, at the home of Mrs. Ethel Shook. Visitors are welcome.

HOSPITAL PATIENTS.

H. S. Heffner, who sustained an injury to his left knee cap in an auto accident the early part of last month is expected to arrive home from Mt. Carmel hospital Columbus either tomorrow or Friday.

Charles Hall, of Watt street, who underwent an operation at Mt. Carmel hospital, Columbus, four weeks ago, will arrive home today accompanied by his wife.

DOUBLE HEADER.

Holiday game of basketball between Circleville high school and Pickerington boys and girls. Game Friday evening, December 21, at 7:30 o'clock. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

19dec22.

For that Christmas present see Cad dy Miller's line of Hats, Caps, Gloves, Underwear, Shirts, Ties, Mufflers, Socks, Umbrellas, Sweaters, Smoking Jackets, Bath Robes, etc. etc.

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Our want ads bring results.

ELLIOTT NICHOLS

Died at Athens in His Eightieth Year—Funeral Services Friday.

Elliott Nichols died at the State hospital, Athens, Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. The deceased was born in Newport, Kentucky, September 22, 1844, and was the son of William and Christena Mills Nichols. He was a retired farmer and has been a resident of this county thirty years. His wife, Mary Nichols, died in 1909.

The funeral services will be held Friday morning December 21, at 9:30 o'clock at the Albaugh company's chapel. Rev. H. B. Welch will officiate. Interment in Jackson township cemetery.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Gordon Quincell spent the day in Columbus.

Mrs. Elmer Caldwell spent the day in Columbus.

Clyde Mowery of Tarlton, spent the day in Columbus.

W. B. Morrison was a business visitor in Columbus today.

Walter Julian of Newark, was a visitor in this city Tuesday.

James I. Smith and John Fitzpatrick spent the day in Columbus.

Miss Lulu Anderson, of New Holland, spent the day in Columbus.

Mrs. Roy Stout and Mrs. Edward Shanton spent the day in Columbus.

Mrs. L. F. Smithhisler and daughter Margaret Ann, spent the day in Columbus.

Miss May Hibbens spent the day in Columbus visiting her sister, Mrs. A. E. Lowe.

Miss Maxine Snyder spent the day in Columbus, the guest of her brother, George Snyder.

Mrs. Lizzie Brown, Mrs. C. H. Rihl and daughter, Mary Alice, spent the day in Columbus.

Mrs. Martha Phillips of Columbus, who has been the guest of her brother John Banister, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith of Toledo, are guests of her parents Colonel and Mrs. C. E. Groce, for the holidays.

Attorney James Sawyer of Newark, is home to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Sawyer.

Miss Ruth Hummel, a student at Oberlin college, Oberlin, will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Hummel.

Mrs. Estel Roseboom of Columbus, who has been the guest of her father, John Vincent, and Mr. and Mrs. William Roseboom, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Tolbert and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chappellear attended the Strickland Gillilan lecture at the Masonic temple, Columbus, Tuesday evening.

Miss Mary Holman, a student at the Vermont State university, Burlington Vermont, is home for the holidays the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Holman.

Kemper Hammel will arrive home Thursday morning from Northwestern university, Chicago, Illinois, to spend the holiday vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hammel.

Sergeant Miller M. Fissell, a student at the Miami Military university, arrived home today to spend the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fissell, of East Mound street.

David and Vattier Courtwright and Lemuel Weldon, students at Cornell university, Ithaca, New York, will arrive home Sunday to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents.

Miss Elizabeth Roth will arrive home Thursday morning from Ogontz school, Pennsylvania, to spend the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Roth of North Scioto street.

George McCrea, Donald Morris and Rufus Short, students at Washington and Jefferson college at Uniontown, Pennsylvania, will arrive home Friday to spend the holidays with their parents.

Miss Margaret Weldon, a student at Mt. Holyoke, South Hadley, Massachusetts, Misses Martha Wilder and Frances Walling, students at the Randolph-Lincoln seminary, Lynchburg, Virginia, will arrive home Friday to spend the holiday vacation with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. Hitt and daughter, Helen, of Jackson; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth V. Miller and daughter, Norma Jean, of Piqua and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Madison of Columbus, will join the family circle and enjoy a Christmas tree at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Hitt of North Scioto street next Tuesday.

Try a want ad.

CONGRESSMAN

Underwood Has Been Given Important Committee Assignments.

Mell G. Underwood, New Lexington, congressman, has been selected by the ways and means committee of the house of representatives to serve upon three of the most important committees in the Sixty-eight congress; the committee on invalid pensions, the committee on enrolled bills and the committee on mines and mining.

Mr. Underwood, who is the youngest member of the Ohio delegation, is indeed very fortunate in being assigned during his first term in congress upon these important committees, upon two of which, his predecessor, Edwin D. Ricketts, served. The committee on invalid pensions and the committee on enrolled bills.

The committee on invalid pensions is an important one as it is thru this committee that all of the pension legislation affecting Civil war veterans is worked out.

The committee on mines and mining is also one of the main committees of the house. Legislation affecting the public, mining interests and the welfare of the men who work in the mines is handled by this committee.

The committee on enrolled bills was first instituted in 1789 by a joint rule of the two houses and is one of the oldest committees in congress. Congressman Underwood is complimented by being one of the three Democrats selected from the 205 Democratic members of the house to serve on this particular committee. Its duties are the enrollment of engrossed bills which are placed upon the statute books as the laws of our country.

Aiding Aylators.

Small balloons are sent up twice daily from thirty-one observing stations in the United States to ascertain direction and velocity of air currents from the surface.

CHRISTMAS WREATHS

A fine assortment now on hand at Barnhill's or at the Greenhouse.

J. J. Brehmer.

13dec26.



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TRAINS
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TOYS

HAMILTON'S STORE

BANQUET

Implement Dealers Held Interesting Meeting at American Hotel.

The district meeting of International Harvester implement dealers from Ross, Fairfield, Hocking and this county met at the American hotel, in this city, Tuesday.

Twenty-four dealers were present and were guests of the branch manager, L. H. Lightcap, of Columbus.

A banquet was given at which Mr. Lightcap made an address. The fact was brought out that in face of prevailing prices of farm products the feeling amongst farmers is very optimistic and the outlook for 1924 is very encouraging to dealers.

TRANSFERRED TO COLUMBUS

Wilbur V. Malden, who has been subbing at the Western Union Telegraph office and who was recently sent to Toledo on detail work, has made good and has been transferred to Columbus to take the wire during the holiday rush.

RUN DOWN BY AUTO.

Mrs. E. M. Hines and sister, Alice Jeffries, of Columbus, suffered severe cuts and bruises Monday night when they were struck at Tenth avenue and High street by the automobile of Charles Cummins, Worthington. An ambulance of the W. H. Amos Co., removed them to the home of Miss Jeffries.

The injured women were formerly residents of this city. Mrs. Hines is a sister-in-law of Mrs. W. E. Denman of East Main street.

STORES OPEN.

All the stores of the city will be open evenings on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday.

FARM FOR RENT.

Well improved farm of 85 acres, located in Washington township, Pickaway county, Ohio, within short distance of centralized school building. Inquire of Mrs. John Metzger, 344 East Mound street or Meeker Terwilliger, attorney, Circleville, Ohio. 5septwtfd2d2awk.

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For Mother or Sister

Scissors.....60c to \$2.00
Buttonhole Scissors.....\$1.00
Hoover Sweepers.....\$65.00
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Carving Sets.....\$3.50 to \$8.50
Wool Auto Robes.....\$7.50
Small Pen Knives.....\$1.00 to \$1.50
Knife Sharpeners.....35c

For Father or Brother

Pocket Knives.....25c to \$3.00
Dad's Lanterns.....\$4.50
Hatchets.....75c to \$2.50
Hammers.....50c to \$2.25
Hand Saws.....\$1.25 to \$3.25
Tool Chest.....\$6.00 to \$12.00
Razors.....89c to \$5.00
Rifles.....\$7.00 to \$27.50
Air Rifles.....\$2.00 to \$4.50
Lunch Kits.....\$3.00

Have your articles laid aside to be delivered at any time.

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Among the financial institutions of Columbus we are known as a conservative Building and Loan. Charging but 6 1/4% on loans, we, attract a safer class of securities than institutions charging a higher rate. Paying 5% on deposits, we earn a profit which enables us to lay away an adequate Reserve as a further protection to depositors. This Reserve now exceeds \$800,000.00.

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The Best Quality that Money Can Buy at Popular Prices.

FORMERLY

THE HOME TRADE CO.,

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JACKSON SCHOOL.
The Christmas program of the Jackson township school will be given Friday evening, December 21, at 7:15 o'clock. No admission charge will be made. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Daily Thought.
Never anger made good guard for itself.—Shakespeare.

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JANUARY TERM

Grand and Petit Jurors Drawn by Clerk of Courts Adrian Yates.

The following names for the grand and petit jurors for the January term were drawn by the Clerk of Courts Adrian Yates in the presence of Sheriff Robert J. Young and Judge Curtin Monday, December 17. The grand jury will convene January 7, 1924.

The grand jurors are: Frank Valentine, Washington; Charles Phillips, Scioto; J. T. Timmons, Perry; Russell Wardell and Victor Ater, Deercreek; Turney Woolever, Muhlenberg; David Six and J. T. Brinker of Walnut; John Mack, Third ward; A. E. Washburn, Second ward; R. L. Brehmer, O. D. Mader and Guy Rader, First ward; Ralph Boggs, Pickaway; Walter Parker, Saltcreek.

The names drawn for the petit jury which is called to meet Monday, January 14, are as follows: H. R. Matheas and Ross Neff, Darby; Charles Mason, N. E. Thomas, A. C. Cook, First ward; James Newland and Fred H. Fissell, Second ward; George G. Groom and Nelson Fox and Charles Lesher, Third ward; Glen T. Grimes, Dayton Mouser W. T. Hoskins and Galen Kirkpatrick of Perry; Walter Berger, Herbert Sweyer, Harrison; F. A. Beatty, Muhlenberg; Stephen Jones, H. W. Florence, Jackson township; Cecil Hanawalt, Monroe; Whitney Lamb, Scioto; Dell Barr, Saltcreek; Guy Rector, Deercreek; Clarence E. Noecker, Madison township.

AMUSEMENTS

A stampede of four thousand cattle, filmed at great risk to the players and under strange circumstances, forms one of the many thrilling episodes in "The Eagle's Feather," the Metro picture of Katharine Newlin Burt's famous story of the same name, now showing at the Met theater.

The stampede was filmed in the vicinity of Convict Lake located in the high Sierras above the little town of Bishop on the border line between California and Nevada. Great cattle ranchers sprawl for hundreds of miles thru this beautiful valley and here millions of cattle are rounded up several times during the year and sent to the slaughter houses thru the middle west.

The great herd which figures in "The Eagle's Feather" stampede was driven for more than one hundred miles from the famous Smithsonian ranch in California to the location near Convict Lake. So vast was the enterprise that no ranch owner in the vicinity was willing to lend his herd for this scene, claiming that the value of their herds would greatly depreciate if they were hard driven. Finally as the only way out, Metro Pictures Corporation temporarily took the entire management of the Smithsonian ranch, holding itself responsible for any accident to the herd or loss of value during its proprietorship.

James Kirkwood, who enacts one of the leading roles in "The Eagle's Feather," narrowly escaped death during the taking of the stampede. At the direction of Edward Sloman, Mr. Kirkwood and a score of cowboys began to herd the cattle within focus of the camera when the entire herd suddenly broke and rushed madly in Mr. Kirkwood's direction. Ordinarily a swift horse can keep safely ahead of a dangerous cattle stampede, but Mr. Kirkwood's mount suddenly fell and threw his rider to the ground and straight in the path of the infuriated onrushing cattle. Luckily the herd apparently frightened at the horse who was kicking and whining piteously in his attempts to get out of danger, parted on either side and swept by leaving the actor with only a sprained ankle, bruises and cuts.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM.

Of the High street school December 20, at the high school auditorium at 7:15 o'clock.

Christmas Greeting Ned Plum
Mousie's Joke Second Grade
Recitations First Grade
Song Second Grade
The Three Kings Helen Palm
Mrs. Santa Comes Into Her Own...
..... Third Grade
Recitations Second Grade
The Christmas Fairy and Scrooge
..... Fourth Grade
Recitations First Grade
Christmas Song Third Grade
Toyland Fifth Grade
Recitations First Grade
Song Sara K. Kelser
The Christmas Wreath .. First Grade
Queen Christmas Sixth Grade

Mountain Scenery.
One of the principal charms of mountain scenery is its solitude.—Ruskin.

CHRISTMAS TREAT

Children of Salvation Army Needs Your Loyal Support.

Let us show the real Christmas spirit by our liberal donations toward the treat for the little tots of the Salvation Army Sunday school at this place. Those wishing to contribute please call 'phone 666. This is a worthy cause and should receive the hearty support of every citizen.

The Army hall on West Main street is open for services Thursday, Saturday and Sunday evenings with a growing Sunday school on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Come and enjoy the splendid services with us. Christmas program on Christmas night.

A GREAT TRIP.
Fred Weaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Weaver, who is clarinetist in Sousa's band, will spend Christmas week in Spokane, Washington, and will be in San Francisco, California, the following week. The band will then tour southern California thru the south to Florida and Cuba.

CHRISTMAS BLOOMS
FROM BUCK'S GREENHOUSES.
We will have a large display of flowering plants Thursday and we want everybody to see them. It will be a sight worth while. At Wilder's Drug Store.

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Wrist Watches
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Pens and Pencils
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Sophistication.
Bernice had some of her little friends in for luncheon the other day and among other things she had olives. She offered them to Effie, who said she did not like them, whereupon Bernice replied in a superior fashion: "Oh, I didn't like 'em myself at first, but you must accumulate a taste for them."

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There's nothing that exactly fits the requirements for so many friends as Slippers for Xmas. We have them in Comfys, and Juliettes, and in any shade or color you may desire. Blue, Plum, Sapphire, Purple, Pink and Blue Satins for the Bath Robe. And a line for

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YES, LITTLE GIRL, THERE

IS A SANTA CLAUS.

A number of years ago little Virginia O'Hanlon wrote to Charles A. Dana, who was then editor of the New York Sun, asking about the reality of Santa Claus, because, as she said, "If you see it in The Sun, it's so." The answer, which was written by Francis Pharcellus Church, for thirty years editorial writer on The Sun and who died a number of years since, has become a classic.

Here is Virginia's letter:

"Dear Editor:—I am eight years old. Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus. Papa says if you see it in the Sun it's so. Please tell me the truth. Is there a Santa Claus?"

"Virginia O'Hanlon."

And here is the interesting reply of The Sun:

"Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. Your little friends are wrong. They are affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do not believe, except they see. They think nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds. All minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or children's are little. In this great universe of ours man is a mere insect, an ant in his intellect as compared with the boundless world about him as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge.

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! How dreary would be the world if there were no Virginias. There would be no childlike faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies! You might as well hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would they prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see. Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders there are unseen and unseeable in the world.

You tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man nor the united strength of all the strongest men that ever lived, could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond. Is it all real? Ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding.

No Santa Claus! Thank God! he lives and he lives forever. A thousand years from now, Virginia, may ten times ten thousand years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood."

Stars of "Dipper."

The stars of the "little dipper" are all constantly moving at tremendous velocities and mostly in different directions, say astronomers, but so vast is their distance from us that they have not changed their relative positions to any appreciable extent within the memory of man.

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CLASS 4—First week \$2.50, second \$2.45. Decrease each weekly payment 5c and receive in 50 weeks - - -	\$63.75
CLASS 25—Pay 25c straight each week for 50 weeks and receive - -	\$12.50
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CLASS 100—Pay \$1 straight each week for 50 weeks and receive - -	\$50.00
CLASS 200—Pay \$2 straight each week for 50 weeks and receive - -	\$100.00
CLASS 500—Pay \$5 straight each week for 50 weeks and receive - -	\$250.00
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CIRCLEVILLE, OHIO

A CHRISTMAS SERVICE
At the Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, the Young Woman's Bible class will present The Nativity, a short Christmas service. It is composed entirely of selections from the Bible, arranged in dramatic form on the plan of a mystery play, picturing the incidents of the gospel story of the Nativity, and accompanied by Christmas carols. The service should have a threefold appeal—the Bible words, the music, and the scenes of the Nativity. Everyone will be welcome.
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CHRISTMAS PROGRAM.
The Christmas program of the High street school will be held on Thursday evening, December 20, at 7:15 in the high school auditorium. Admission 20 cents for adults, 10 cents for children. All those connected with, or interested in the school are urged to attend, and the public is cordially invited.
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Worse Than the Other.
A senses taker—the blackjack.—
Boston Transcript.

FISH THAT SHOCKS ITS PREY
Whenever an Enemy Approaches the Torpedo It Emits From Its Body a Kind of Electricity.

The torpedo, or electric ray, grows to a large size, sometimes weighing seventy or eighty pounds. This peculiar fish has a nearly circular body, a short tail and a very small mouth. The back is brownish in color and the underneath parts are white.

The torpedo obtains its name from its power of giving a violent shock, similar to an electric shock, to anything with which it comes in contact. Whenever an enemy approaches the fish emits from its body a kind of electricity, which incapacitates the attacker immediately. In capturing its food the torpedo fish finds this power of use. Being very inactive, it cannot pursue the small fish which form its diet, so it lies in wait until they swim close by and then throws out its powerful shock, which instantly renders them helpless.

If a person touches this strange fish he is attacked by cramp, which affects the stomach, producing a kind of convulsion. For this reason the torpedo is sometimes known as the "cramp fish."—Detroit News.

Snuff Taking Dies.
In days gone by snuff taking was general and considered a polite act. Polite people offered snuff just as men now offer cigarettes. However, it is not entirely a thing of the past. An English writer says that many persons engaged in night work still use it, and some ministers of religion. And a few old ladies, who learned the habit when it was much more prevalent than it is now, still cling to their snuff-boxes and take a pinch now and then. The jar in which David Garrick's special brand was kept is still preserved. But the days when every buck and beau carried his box are gone, and there seems to be little prospect of their return.

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DINOSAUR TRACKS IN EAST
Remains of Prehistoric Animal Found Near Old Home of President James Monroe.

Strange three-toed tracks found in blocks of sandstone quarried to make a walk in front of the former home of President James Monroe at "Oak Hill" near Aldie, Loudon county, six miles from Leesburg, Va., have been declared by scientists to be the footprints made in the sand by a gigantic reptilian dinosaur fifteen million years ago.

While dinosaurs are chiefly known from reconstruction of fossil bones found in the western states, where these pre-historic creatures were apparently most abundant, many tracks of these creatures have been found in eastern states before, although few remains of the fossil reptiles themselves have yet come to light in the East.

The first evidence of dinosaurs was turned up by a farmer's plow in Connecticut in 1802, and was in the form of impressions similar to the footprints in the sands of geologic time just unearthed near Leesburg. At that time, these mysterious tracks were thought to belong to some unknown bird and became known as the tracks of Noah's raven. Later investigation and the finding of skeletal remains of the dinosaurs in the West in 1870 showed that extinct reptiles of gigantic size had made them.

The finding of these fossils where President Monroe once lived has recalled to historians that Thomas Jefferson, another president from Virginia and a close personal and political friend of Monroe's, was on of this country's earliest fossil hunters and himself discovered what he termed Megalonyx, or "The Great Claw," a prehistoric giant sloth which lived hundreds of thousands of years ago, but several million years later than the dinosaurs.—Kansas City Star.

Cause for National Pride.
In Norway there are practically no illiterates.

MASCOTS OF THE STAGE
Actresses Have All Sorts of "Lucky" Nicknacks on Their Dressing Tables.

"What a lot of mascots!" That is one of the first things that most nontheatrical folk exclaim on looking at an actress' dressing table. There are queer, ugly goliwogs, horseshoes of all sorts and sizes, every kind of tiny toy, and quaintly gay pin cushions, while first-night wires, wishing luck, are pinned up on the looking glass or wall. These are just a few of the treasures.

Why such a collection? you may ask. The answer would almost invariably be that they were "lucky," that they had brought new contracts and happy engagements at one time or another, and so they must find a place on the dressing table.

Stage folk, you see, are superstitious. There are lots of things the beginner has to learn when she first enters the profession.

She must never, on any account, whistle in the dining room. It's terribly unlucky. If she should, she must go out, turn round three times outside the door, and then knock to be admitted again.

If she sees a piece of cotton or thread of any sort hanging on to any one else's clothes she should immediately pick it off and keep it, because it means a new contract for her.

Two very old stage superstitions are never to quote "Macbeth" and never to wear real flowers on the stage. This is seldom done, even now. There may be a good reason for this superstition, because if the petals should drop they might cause players to slip on the stage.

A very lucky omen is for a blob of carmine grease paint to get accidentally smeared on the teeth while the actress is "making up" her lips. She wipes it off most carefully and lovingly!

And she collects and keeps all her little mascots, and takes them about with her from place to place if she is on tour, putting them in just the same positions on her dressing table every week. For they've brought her luck, she says, and they are going to bring her still more!—London Tit-Bits.

Early Egyptian Tombs.
The kings of the earliest dynasties reared no pyramids. Their tombs were great structures mainly underground—that of Aha (who is possibly Mena, the first king of Egypt), at Naqada measures 175 feet by 88, and contains 21 chambers—built sometimes of brick, with a lining of wood, and sometimes floored with stone, as in the case of the tomb of King Den at Abydos, whose granite floor furnishes the earliest known example of the use of stone in building.—National Geographic Society Bulletin.

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Scratch Feed	2 75	53 00
Cracked Corn	2 50	48 00
Oyster Shell	1 50	25 00
Oil Meal	3 25	
Screenings	1 25	
Hay	1 25	
Straw, per bale	65	
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Eccentricities of Genius.
Paul Verlaine, a modern French poet, was a genius whose life was passed in alternate stages of religious ecstasy and deplorable excesses. After 1870 he led the traditional bohemian life in Paris, then disappeared for eleven years. In 1881 he appeared in the public eye as a quasi-Catholic with his "Sageese," perhaps his best-known work. From this time to his death in 1896 Verlaine remained, except for brief intervals, among the cafes of the Latin quarter, drinking absinthe, carousing and writing verse and journalistic articles.

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Caddy Miller has a swell line of Neckwear and Mufflers for Christmas presents.

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LEGAL NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the stock holders of the Pythian Castle Association company at the K. of P. hall in the city of Circleville, Ohio, on

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"Coille, you mean?"

"No, I mean just what I say—coaly. Money wouldn't buy that dog. You see, several years ago I trained him to bark at the railway trains as they passed our house. That's his business—barking at trains. He annoys the railway men so much that every stoker on the line has sworn to kill him. Oh, but he is a valuable dog!"

"I can't see where the value comes in."

"No? Well, you could if you were in my place and had all the coal you could burn and some to sell thrown off at your back door free of cost."

Preceded the Umbrella.

Before the umbrella came there was what was known as the quitasol—a parasol of oiled muslin, whose material was imported from India via England. The quitasol was a feminine monopoly. The man wore a "roque-laure," or cape of oiled linen. The first umbrella was fashioned of this material and had ribs of rattan.

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GOOD PROPERTY FOR SALE.

The house and lot known as the Stein property on East Main street will be offered at public sale at the court house on December 31, 1923, at 2 o'clock p. m.

This is a desirable property, large lot, well located, can be repaired and is one of the best building locations in the city.

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AT THE MAISON HOGRELLE

Restaurant and Grocery Near Camp Coetquidan in Brittany Was Transformed by Doughboys.

Near Camp Coetquidan in Brittany was the town of Guer. On the outskirts of the town was a combination restaurant and grocery store kept by the widow Hogrelle. When the first Americans arrived in the camp it was possible to get a supper of broiled chicken, with all the fixings, done in the real French style over an open fire of brush, for 5 francs (about \$1. American). Two young girls, Vivienne and Germaine, assisted in serving the patrons, says Leonard H. Nason. Vivienne was inclined to be a little fleshy, and Germaine had no teeth, but otherwise they were very winsome.

The Americans, however, delighted in astonishing the French by throwing 20 franc notes about, ordering champagne by the dozen, and otherwise behaving as if they were all millionaires.

This had a very demoralizing effect upon the Maison Hogrelle, and when the writer returned there in the fall of 1918, after the number of Americans in France had risen from 200,000 to 2,000,000, the price of a chicken supper was 40 francs, champagne extra at 15 francs the bottle. Vivienne was wearing corsets, so that she looked like a pillow with a string tied about its middle, and Germaine had a set of false teeth.—Adventure Magazine.

Cats and Dogs at Peace.

There is one place near Philadelphia where cats and dogs dwell together in peace. It is a cemetery devoted to pets. It is at Francisville, and contains many handsome tombstones.

TURBOT IS ALWAYS THERE

Permanent Fixture Found in the Menu of an English Dining Car.

One of the first truths to be learned from the study of esthetics is that the nature of the material, the existing cause, of pleasure goes for very little in the composition of that pleasure. It is what we bring, not what we receive, which makes us glad or sorry. An instance of this great philosophical truth is within easy reach of every traveler.

No one, not even the master caterers of the great railway companies, whose new names are still as strange to us, would lay hand on heart and swear that in respect to quality the meals served in the luncheon cars of our long-distance trains were choice food. Considering the difficulties, they are surprisingly dished, and deftly served by the obliging waiters.

But there is nearly always turbot, or cod—fishes that, when they take the train or stay in a hotel, become as uninteresting, as reserved, as flatly respectable as English travelers themselves. The choice between roast joint hot and pressed beef or ham could seem no choice at all, but a double compulsion, as of pistols or swords to a timid duelist. And the meal, unlike all other meals, be it luncheon or be it dinner, strikes one as drawing slowly crescendo to a climax of sweetish biscuits and gorgonzola cheese. Why is there nearly always gorgonzola cheese in the train, and why does one always eat and enjoy it there, and rarely anywhere else?—London Times.

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CHRISTMAS CANTATA.

The Robtown Sunday school will give the cantata, "The Night Before Christmas" at the church Sunday evening, December 23.

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177½ acre tract, 6 room frame dwelling, good frame barn with metal roof, two good corn cribs and other outbuildings, well tiled and fenced with four good wells; located two miles west of Five Points on a good pike in Monroe township.

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Earth in the upper peninsula is so kind that, tilled her with a hoe, and she laughs with a harvest, but there are some drawbacks. It seems. A farmer down at Au Train put out cabbage one year, and grew perfectly marvelous heads weighing every one of them, forty pounds or less, but dog-gone the luck, next year the piece was just like cut-over land again, and it took the farmer all season to clean out the cabbage stumps.—Detroit News.

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Simon Rife farm, consisting of 85 acre tract with 7 room brick dwelling with metal roof and good cellar under entire house, good barn including corn crib, wagon shed and granary large four door garage used as an implement building, good poultry, milk and butcher house; also tool shed with good well and cistern, electric light service at your door, small orchard, hay and straw on farm can be purchased and the crop of growing wheat goes with the purchase price; there is about 10 acres of timber which is sold and will be cleared this coming year. Known as the Cromley farm, two miles from centralized school, one mile from church and about 5 miles from market located on the Circleville and Lithopolis road; this is a fine location and all tillable excepting timberland; possession given March 1, 1924 on easy terms. For full particulars see,

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White and Wyckoff Stationery always pleases young and old. A fine assortment of Box Paper. Many styles and all prices 10c to \$2.50 box.

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Ladies' Silk Hose \$1.00 to \$3.98; Ladies' Silk and Wool Hose \$1.25 to \$3.50, Men's Hose 19c to \$1.00; Children's Hose, all prices.

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Suitcases \$1.00 to \$12.50. Bags all prices up to \$20. Real Leather Bags at \$5.00 and up. Overnight Bags \$2.25 and \$3.98.

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For children 3 in box for 25c and 50c.

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SMALL TOWN HUMOR AND PHILOSOPHY

By BUCK CAMPBELL

If thy neighbor offend thee, cut his acquaintance.

It is all right for the people to rule if they rule your way.

Blue-sky laws are supposed to be a check on shady transactions.

There are few men who do not enjoy being jollied occasionally.

Many a man would be doomed to obscurity were it not for his enemies.

The religion of optimism is the greatest panacea for the ills of the country that is known.

When the time comes that the one without guilt has cast the first stone there will be a lot less investigations.

No, the country is not going to the demerol bowwows; only the extreme pessimists feel that way about it, and a pessimist is about as welcome to society as a polecat at a campmeeting.

Why Breathe Through the Nose?
Reasons for breathing through the nose instead of the mouth are: (1) to warm the air; (2) to moisten the air; (3) to remove the dust and germs; (4) to produce more suction in the chest, which helps draw blood into the lungs as well as air, thus helping the heart and more easily attaining second wind.

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And when a woman is trying to raise eight or nine children she doesn't waste much time regretting the passing of old-fashioned southern hospitality.—Dallas News.

JUST A FEW DAYS.

Just a few days left for you to do your Christmas shopping. Have you found presents for all your friends? Perhaps you have not and can't think of a thing to get them. If they have an automobile why not give something for the car this Christmas. We have many useful articles for the machine that everybody will enjoy. Come in and let us show you something that you can get and make your Christmas shopping easier.

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COMMUNITY TREE

Everyone Should Cheerfully Make Contributions to This Cause.

As the Christmas season approaches nearer and nearer the Community Christmas tree also approaches nearer and nearer its destined mission. The gifts have begun to come in. People are feeling the drawing of the community spirit. Every citizen should feel this same spirit. Before the Community tree is dismantled it is hoped that every boy and girl and every man and woman will have felt this spirit. That we all may feel it let us all do our part to make it possible. Don't pass by the Christmas jars with a remark that it is the other fellow's job. It is your opportunity to spread the Christmas spirit in our community. Remember, also, that when the young ladies visit your place of business in the interest of the Christmas tree they come in the spirit of service and are giving of their time and effort. If no one has seen you and you have not seen one of the Christmas jars remember that your gift will be received at Hamilton & Ryan's drug store or at Fickard's drug store. Do not stifle your impulse toward the community tree. Make a special trip to one of these places if necessary in order to have your part in our community of spirit.

AUTO COLLISION

Mrs. Bertha Nelson Killed in Motor Truck at Dayton Sunday.

Mrs. Axel Nelson, 36, who was formerly Miss Bertha Collopy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Collopy of New Holland met almost instant death in an automobile accident at Dayton Sunday morning at 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Nelson was with her husband in a motor truck which turned over in a collision. She was caught beneath the heavy machine and died in the ambulance on the way to the hospital.

She is survived by her husband, two sons and an adopted son. There are six brothers and four sisters also surviving; Neal, of Kansas City; John of Turon, Kansas; Thomas and Frank of New Holland; Wardus, of Dayton; Mrs. John Long of Columbus; Mrs. John Ray, of near this city; and Miss Mabel Collopy, of Dayton.

The funeral services were held at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning and burial was made at Dayton.

LIBERALS HOLD ALOOF

Will Enter No Arrangement For a Coalition.

London, Dec. 19.—Former Premier Herbert Asquith served notice on both Premier Baldwin and Ramsey MacDonald, Labor leader, that the Liberals will enter no arrangement to support either party in the house of commons. "I will not move a finger to prolong the disastrous stewardship of the present government," declared Asquith. "The days of the present government are numbered. They have reduced this country to a cipher in the councils of the world. The Liberals have not entered into any negotiations with any other party for a coalition, and I intend to preserve that freedom uncompromised and unfettered in complete integrity. The Liberals will not support either a protective tariff or any proposal for a capital levy."

Wants Magnus Johnson's Seat.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Representative Schall, the blind member of congress from Minnesota, announced that he would be a candidate in the Republican primary in Minnesota next June for the senatorial nomination. The term of Senator Magnus Johnson, who was elected to succeed the late Senator Knute Nelson, will expire March 4, 1925, and he will be up for re-election for a full term as the Farmer-Labor party candidate next year. Schall is hopeful of winning the Republican nomination to oppose Johnson.

To Pardon Federal Prisoners.

Washington, Dec. 19.—President Coolidge notified Santa Claus to stop in at the white house and deliver a number of pardons to federal prisoners in ample time for them to get home by Christmas. In this instance it was Attorney General Daugherty, who already had made a preliminary study of a number of worthy cases. He said that he would submit the necessary documents for the president's signature within a few days.

Philanthropist to Rescue.

Providence, R. I., Dec. 19.—Jesse H. Metcalf, philanthropist and member of one of the oldest and wealthiest families in Rhode Island, volunteered to pay in full the accounts of 3,000 depositors in the Christmas savings club of the Cosmopolitan Trust company, recently ordered closed by the bank commissioner. More than \$159,000 tied up in the accounts will be released to the depositors for use before Christmas.

Post-Holiday Reflection.

A holiday is a day when most people feel less hollow than usual.

IRISH BUDDHIST PRIEST RETURNS FROM LHASSA

Dr. Hugh McGovern Succeeds in Penetrating Himalayas.

Calcutta.—Dr. Hugh McGovern, the Irish Buddhist priest, who recently succeeded in penetrating the world's greatest rampart of mountains, the Himalayas, behind which lies the forbidden city of Lhasa, has just returned to Darjeeling after having been arrested by British frontier authorities for violating Tibet's sacred ground.

The doctor reports that in his attempts to get into Lhasa he and his four companions suffered intense privations and exposure in the snow-clad mountains, which are 500 feet higher than the highest peaks in the United States.

After battling with snow storms day and night and being compelled more than once to retrace his steps, McGovern at Hangu was confronted with a strike of his servants, who refused to go further. He had to beat them into submission before they would resume the journey.

He kept his ultimate destination secret from his companions, fearing they would desert him if they knew the distance and the hardships. On the desolate mountain pass of Karula the Irish prelate revealed his objective. Only under compulsion did his companions continue the journey with him.

To avoid detection by the fanatical Tibetans, Dr. McGovern dyed his hair and painted his whole body so as to look like a native. Thus disguised and attired in the dress of a peasant, he played the role of coolie and cook.

After many weeks of trying experiences and reverses he finally reached Lhasa, only to be apprehended by the Tibetans, who ordered his immediate deportation. He is now with friends in Darjeeling and will soon leave for England.

An American who is planning to enter Tibet is Capt. Merl La Voy of Seattle, Wash. Armed with credentials from the American State department and permits from the Chinese government, La Voy with a number of American scientists and explorers will leave India late in the fall and proceed directly for Lhasa.

Convicts' Health Better

Than That of City Folks

New York.—The annual report of Warden Lewis E. Lawes and other officials of Sing Sing prison show that the convicts enjoy as good or better health than persons at liberty, that the profits of the prison industries have been increased and that the behavior and morale of the convicts are improving.

"During the year there were but eight natural deaths in Sing Sing, or an average of .5 per cent," said the warden's report. "This compares very favorably with vital statistics outside of prison. The best week in the history of New York city, in September, showed a death rate of eight to a thousand."

"Excellent order has been the rule during the last year, and the morale of the men has been most satisfactory. There has been but two escapes, both men being recaptured within 48 hours."

"Profits from the prison industries were \$83,902.94, compared with \$38,000 for the preceding year. The sales total was less, however."

Of the 1,457 men received in the year, 582 were moderate drinkers of intoxicants, 7 were habitual drunkards and 868 did not use liquor. Eighteen were college men; 585 were married, 828 single; 34 were widowers and 10 had been divorced.

Find Bones of Llama in California Asphalt Bed

Oakland, Cal.—The skull and shank bones of a llama similar to those now existing in South America have been uncovered by a party of searchers, headed by Prof. C. Stock of the department of paleontology of the University of California here. The party will continue its excavations in the hope of turning up other interesting remains.

India to Send Forestry Students to Washington

Seattle.—India has chosen the forestry school of the University of Washington to train young men in logging until such instructions can be developed in that country, according to C. S. Martin, a representative of the Indian government. He said that a party of Indian students would arrive here in the fall for two-year courses in logging engineering.

Works 60 Years in Same Plant.

St. Marys, O.—Matt Dessinger took a brief vacation from his duties at a local blanket manufacturing mill in celebration of his seventy-fifth birthday anniversary. Almost sixty years ago Dessinger began his apprenticeship at the factory. He has been there since except for brief intervals when he worked in New Bremen and in Decatur, Ind.

Soviets to Sell Fishing Rights.

Tokyo.—Japanese fishing companies have agreed to pay the soviet authorities 1,500,000 yen for the right to operate 268 fishing stations on the Russian Pacific coast during the present season. These stations were obtained by Japanese at the auctions held at Vladivostok.

HERE AND THERE

Two bandits held up John Becker, proprietor of the Becker jewelry store at Wheeling, W. Va., and escaped with \$15,000 worth of diamonds.

A nominating petition to place the name of Henry Ford on the Democratic ballot in the preferential presidential primaries next April was filed at Lansing, Mich.

Dry agents captured a woman rum runner near Leonarda, N. J. They confiscated her motor car and 20 cases of liquor.

Letter carriers on rural routes will be given all of Christmas as a holiday under a decision reached by Postmaster General New. Carriers in the cities will be given the usual half holiday.

A yearling steer, the grand champion of a fat stock show for boys' and girls' feeding clubs, held at the East Buffalo (N. Y.) yard, fed by George Henry of Woodstock, O., sold for 60 cents per pound. Stock yard officials consider this a record price. The steer weighed 1,060 pounds.

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Preliminary Game
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The Reindeers will have to have four wheel brakes this year to stop at every boys home with Jack O'Leathers Suits and O'coats



Yes---it's going to be a new clothes Christmas for boys.

We've asked 9 Mothers and 9 boys are going to have new suits and coats for Christmas---and the new suits are going to be (Jack O'Leathers.)

OH, what suits! With two pairs of trousers. With a style that will make a healthy boy leave his Radio to put on.

Big warm O'coats---just like Dad's if Dad did pay over \$60.

See them, Mother and Dad---it's a clothes-giving year.

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33 x 4½	Straight Side	-	-	\$31.50
34 x 4½	Straight Side	-	-	\$34.00
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SECRET TREATIES READ IN SENATE

Tend to Show France and Russia Started World War.

OFFERED BY SENATOR OWEN

Latter Explains Documents Said to Have Been Entered Into Between Russia and France, Under Which They Arranged to Begin a War of Aggression Against the Central Powers.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Translations of documents purported to have been obtained from the secret archives of the old Russian monarchy, tending to show that France and Russia were responsible for the world war, were placed in the senate record by Senator Owen of Oklahoma.

The senator spoke for more than an hour, explaining the documents and secret treaties entered into by France and Russia, under which they arranged to begin a war of aggression upon Germany, Russia to attack from the east and France from the west. The drafting of these secret agreements without the knowledge of the French parliament was made possible by the laws of France, the senator declared.

"The records show," the senator said, "that the Russian and French leaders were determined on war and intended the mobilizations as the beginning of a war which had for many years been deliberately prepared and worked out by the complete plans of campaign through annual military conferences."

Among the documents submitted by Senator Owen were minutes of secret conferences in 1902, 1912, 1913.

Another document showing that Russia's act of mobilization of her armies on the German frontier prior to Germany's formal declaration of war on Aug. 1, 1914, was in effect and was intended to be a secret declaration of war by Russia upon Germany.

"The evidence appears to show," Senator Owen said, "that it was the Russian policy to invade Germany without a declaration of war and to make mobilization complete under the camouflage of peaceful negotiations. This was strictly in line with the Franco-Russian treaty of 1892. The secret treaty provided that in case Austria or any other nation in the triple alliance should begin to mobilize, France and Russia, at the first indication of the event and without a previous agreement being necessary, should immediately and simultaneously mobilize their forces and transport them as near the frontier as possible. It also provided that these forces shall begin complete action with the greatest dispatch, so that Germany will have to fight at the same time in the east and in the west."

Senator Owen pointed out that Austria was ignorant of the existence of this secret agreement, therefore, when Austria started mobilization, France and Russia immediately launched their plans for the attack upon Germany in the manner provided for in the secret treaty.

MCDONALD'S NEW PLAN

Bertillon Measurements to Be Taken of Dry Law Violators.

Columbus, Dec. 19.—State Prohibition Commissioner McDonald announced that plans had been perfected whereby each convicted liquor law violator who has been committed to jail will be sent through the identification bureau of the city in which the conviction was made.

The plan, which is believed by both state and federal authorities to be of material advantage in increasing the number of second and third convictions for liquor offenses, will become effective in Ohio at once.

The idea has been recommended by both state and federal authorities as a great step forward. Under the present law finger prints and Bertillon measurements can be taken only from those who are unable to pay fines and are imprisoned. Up to this time, however, according to prohibition heads, this section of the state law, providing that any person committed to jail for an offense against the state is subject to police identification, has been generally ignored insofar as prohibition laws are concerned.

It also was indicated that attempts will be made, through the legislature, to bring about a law by which all liquor violators would be "mugged," whether they are imprisoned or not.

THE WEATHER.

Ohio—Rain tonight or Thursday.

MANUEL ROXAS

Speaker of the Philippine House of Representatives.



VON KAHN ISSUES WARNING

Revolutionary Plot Reported Brewing in Bavaria.

Berlin, Dec. 19.—Preparations for a new revolution to be staged in Bavaria have become so loud that an official warning against it was issued by Dictator Von Kahr, who has been running things for weeks from behind barbed wire barricades while preparing a vigorous trial for Hitler and Ludendorff on treason charges.

His warning reads: "There are indications that certain elements are seeking to exploit for their own political purposes, the general distress which nobody would be able to lift in a day. Every disturbance of the public peace must only increase the suffering. Everybody is expressly warned against such an attempt."

There are rumors that a new putsch is being planned by the "Nationalist Socialists," Hitler's former organization, to begin in January, at the time of the Hitler-Ludendorff treason trial.

SENATE DEADLOCK REMAINS UNBROKEN

Leaders Reported Worried Over the Insurgent Menace.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Leaders responsible for the administration's program in the senate have arrived at the point of being not only upset, but actually worried, over the "menace" of the progressive group, which has blocked all their efforts to organize the interstate commerce committee. This was after nine more ballots had failed to bring about the election of a compromise and had demonstrated conclusively that Senator Cummins could not possibly be elected. The regulars now apparently are faced with the alternative of accepting Senator Smith of South Carolina, Democrat, as chairman or some Republican member of the committee other than Cummins.

On each successive ballot the insurgents, who are insisting that the country demands amendment or repeal of the Esch-Cummins law, held the balance of power. They jerked their votes back from Cummins of Michigan, advocate of public ownership, to Smith, giving the latter votes to send him away ahead of Cummins and bringing him within four votes of the number needed to elect. Twenty-three ballots have been taken and the defenders of the Esch-Cummins act are just as far away from naming the chairman as they were when they started.

Britton Stages Come Back.

New York, Dec. 19.—Jack Britton, former welterweight champion, staged a successful comeback here last night, when he decisively outpointed Phil Kaplan of New York, in a 10-round bout at the Pioneer club. Kaplan never had a chance with the veteran ex-champion and was on the defensive throughout the fight.

Vera Cruz Only Closed Port.

Beaumont, Tex., Dec. 19.—Vera Cruz alone on the Gulf of Mexico is affected by the closed port order of President Obregon of Mexico, according to announcement by the Mexican consul here. Previously it was erroneously reported that Tampico also was closed by executive order.

WOULD PRESS BONUS MEASURE

Soldier Bloc in House to Force Party Caucus.

PETITIONS IN CIRCULATION

Democratic Members of Ways and Means Committee Allege Plot to Kill the Bonus by Delay—Scheduled Meeting of Committee Called Off at Last Moment—Chairman Green Issues Formal Statement.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Charges of a scheme to kill the soldier bonus by delay were made by Democrats when a scheduled meeting of the house ways and means committee was called off by the Republican leaders because it was learned a motion was to be made to give the bonus the right of way.

The Republican leaders' purpose in seeking to prevent action on the bonus bill is twofold, the Democrats assert. First, it is alleged, the plan is to give ample time for the operation of the powerful propaganda now being carried on to change enough votes to defeat the measure by stirring up opposition back home; second, the charges continue, it is the intention to hold up the bill while pressure is being exercised to line up a sufficient number of senators to sustain President Coolidge's expected veto.

The meeting of the ways and means committee had been called to map out a program for consideration of the Mellon tax reduction recommendations and the bonus. The sudden decision to cancel the call was communicated to the members a few minutes before the session was scheduled to begin.

Chairman Green frankly said in a formal statement that suspension of the meeting was determined upon when notice was served on him that an effort would be made to prevent the tentative plan of procedure agreed upon by the Republican leaders being carried out. There had been a complete understanding between the members of the two parties represented on the committee, he declared, to take up first the administrative features of the treasury tax bill.

Chairman Green at the next meeting will propose that the administrative features of the bill be taken up and completed before it is determined what course shall be followed in the case of the bonus. It is not certain how this motion will be received. Representative Rainey (Dem., Ill.) announced that he will offer his motion to give the bonus precedence and force a test vote.

Leaders in the soldier bloc in the house announced after the issuance of the Green statement that they will have more than a sufficient number of signatures to petitions now being circulated to force a party conference on the bonus question when the session is reconvened Jan. 3. The conference, the ex-service men asserted, is to get the ways and means committee on the way with the bonus bill first.

BANDIT SLAIN

Attempted to Rob Relative of the Late Admiral Dewey.

Newark, N. J., Dec. 19.—Frank E. Dewey, second cousin of the late Admiral Dewey, shot and killed a bandit who attempted to rob him of the payroll of the Newark Dress company. Dewey, paymaster for the company, had the factory payroll, amounting to \$1,700 in a satchel. He had entered the building and was mounting the steps when two men who followed him ordered him to hold up his hands. Dewey dropped the satchel which he carried in his right hand and turning around fired with his left hand a revolver which he had in his coat pocket. One of the bandits dropped to the floor. Dewey seized his satchel and leaped into the company offices. The pal of the dead bandit escaped.

Chioan Implicated.

Wheeling, W. Va., Dec. 19.—Teddy Ryan of Salem, O., has been named as the second bandit in the Becker jewelry store holdup here last week, when \$15,000 in diamonds were stolen, and for which Joe Carney, escaped convict from the Ohio penitentiary, is being held, having fully confessed to his part in the robbery.

Hoppe Wins Second Block.

Chicago, Dec. 19.—The second block of the world's title at 18.2 balking billiards went to Willie Hoppe, with Cochran scoring 223. The total score for the two blocks played thus far is: Hoppe 1,000, Cochran 426.

MRS. R. S. COPELAND

Wife of the United States Senator From New York.



DOINGS IN OHIO

Fatal Duel.

Ironton, O., Dec. 19.—Calvin Tackett, 45, said to be from Pike county, Ky., was shot and instantly killed at Lisman Junction, Lawrence county, by Charles Hayes, who alleged Tackett marched him up a hollow at the point of a gun for the announced purpose of shooting him to death. In the hollow, according to Hayes, Tackett shot twice and missed. Hayes then drew and fired four times. Hayes surrendered.

Mayor Pleads Not Guilty.

Toledo, Dec. 19.—Twenty-two Tiffin residents, including Mayor Adolph Unger, pleaded not guilty to charges of conspiracy to violate the national prohibition laws, in the alleged operation of a million dollar liquor ring in Tiffin, when they appeared in federal court here. Trial of the case was set for Jan. 14 by Federal Judge Killitz. All were released on \$1,000 bonds.

Inherits Millions.

Ravenna, O., Dec. 19.—William Dunham, 55, a modest grocer here, was informed that he has inherited nearly \$2,000,000, part of the \$13,000,000 estate of the late Edward Jennings, Chicago, who died without leaving any direct heirs. Dunham was a second cousin of Jennings. He and three brothers and three sisters, all living in Ohio, will share in the huge fortune.

Crabbe Act Upheld.

Columbus, Dec. 19.—Ohio supreme court indirectly upheld the constitutionality of that section of the Crabbe act which makes a third violation of the dry law a penitentiary offense. The court refused to admit to review the appeal of August Sissea, whom the Licking county courts had sentenced to the pen for violating the dry law three times.

Bandits Rob Loan Associations.

Cleveland, Dec. 19.—Four men held up and robbed the International Building and Loan association of between \$10,000 and \$11,000. Later two armed bandits held up Mrs. Clara Pinkade, cashier of the Acme Savings and Loan company in the company's offices and escaped with approximately \$1,000.

Struck by Streetcar.

Cleveland, Dec. 19.—Mrs. May McWethy, 33, Maple Heights, was killed here by a streetcar, which struck her auto. The machine was so loaded with Christmas gifts that Mrs. McWethy had purchased that evidently she was unable to see the approaching car.

Burglars Take Gowns.

Lorain, O., Dec. 19.—Thieves entered the Style Center, women's apparel store here, and stole evening gowns and fur coats valued at \$1,500.

Boy Killed.

Columbus, Dec. 19.—While stealing a ride Kenneth Clifton, 13, was knocked from the steps of a streetcar by another car and instantly killed.

Drivers Didn't Stop.

Youngstown, O., Dec. 19.—Michael Oland, 39, died soon after two autos had struck him, near this city. Neither driver stopped.

Placed on Probation.

Cleveland, Dec. 19.—Herbert F. Eller, wealthy clubman and sportsman, on trial here on charges of insanity, preferred by Miss Harriett Wright, his former fiancée, was placed on probation by Judge Madden when the case was closed in probate court.

FEAT CUTS OFF REBEL RETREAT

Important Rail Center Taken By Mexican Troops.

PUEBLA NOW BEING STORMED

General Sanchez Meets With Defeat at Hands of Federals, According to Reports Reaching the American Consul at Vera Cruz—American Government Maintaining Hopeful View of Mexican Situation.

Washington, Dec. 19.—The Mexican embassy issued a formal statement confirming the capture of the important railroad center of San Marcos by federal troops.

This places the government in a position to cut off the retreat of rebels from Puebla, which is now being stormed. It was declared several trains and a naval gun that had been mounted on a flat car were taken from the rebels and the federal cavalry is now in pursuit, the statement continues.

Advices from George T. Summerlin, American charge d'affaires at Mexico City, appear to confirm this. He was advised by the foreign office, he reported, that a decisive engagement was launched by federal troops along the eastern frontier Monday. The American consul at Vera Cruz, in a separate dispatch, says that rumors reaching the headquarters of the rebel movement are to the effect that General Guadalupe Sanchez had met with defeat at the hands of the federals.

The Mexican embassy statement, based on dispatches just received, adds: "Peaceful conditions throughout the northern and central states remain undisturbed. Complete calm and tranquility prevail in the whole state of Morelos. Reports received from San Luis Potosi are to the effect that General Calles has arrived there and is now engaged in organizing volunteer corps from farmers, who have offered their services to quell the rebellion. President Obregon, after inspecting portions of the states of Vera Cruz and Puebla, returned to Mexico City. General Estrada and General Mayord have expressed their disavowal of De la Huerta's assumed authority as chief of the rebellion. The entire diplomatic and consular corps have expressed their loyalty to the legal authorities."

A white house spokesman declared that this government maintains its friendly and hopeful view of the situation. It was emphasized that so far nothing had occurred to change the policy of this government, and it is hoped that the two conventions in which recognition is based soon will be ratified.

KING GEORGE QUILTS GREECE

Boards Yacht With Queen Elizabeth, Bound For Roumania.

London, Dec. 19.—King George and Queen Elizabeth left Greece last night bound for Roumania. The royal party is aboard the yacht Esperia. It is learned that several telegrams have been sent by the British foreign office to the legations at Athens to use every endeavor to secure the safety of the royal family.

Former Premier Venizelos, who was urged by King George to return to Greece, intends to stay in Paris, in view of developments. Premier Poincare of France, according to foreign office information, has definitely declined the appeals of the Serbian and Roumanian monarchs to intervene in behalf of the Greek dynasty.

In the last few months Republican and pro-Venizelist sentiment in Greece has been growing rapidly. Saturday the long deferred national elections took place. The returns showed such a preponderance of liberal republican sentiment that the government Monday informed King George in writing that it considered it advisable for him to leave Greece until the national assembly had decided on the regime best befitting the country.

McCormick Buys Opera Company?

Chicago, Dec. 19.—Harold F. McCormick and his wife, Mme. Ganna Walska, have gone to New York, the Harvester magnate's secretary declared when questioned in regard to the reported purchase by Mr. McCormick of the Wagnerian Opera company. Mrs. McCormick's secretary refused to confirm or deny the report. According to reports here, Mme. Walska made several appearances with the opera under the name of "Devah Navarre."

LARGEST IN WORLD

Huge Hydro-Electric Unit Placed in Commercial Operation.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Dec. 19.—The largest hydro-electric unit in the world was placed in commercial operation here in the new plant of the Niagara Falls Power company, in the lower gorge. The unit weighs more than 1,750 tons. It consists of a 70,000 horsepower hydraulic turbine attached to an electric generator delivering 52,000 kilowatts at 12,000 volts—the first of three such units to be installed in the \$12,000,000 project. When completed the station will house units with a total capacity of 454,000 horsepower.

The new unit uses 3,200 cubic feet of water a second, with an efficiency of at least 93 per cent. It demands only the same amount of water, however, as was formerly used by seven 5,000 horsepower units, although it delivers energy equivalent to the output of 14 such units.

To Draft Tax Code.

Columbus, Dec. 19.—City officials of Ohio adjourned their meeting here after appointing a committee to draft laws to be submitted to the state legislature in an effort to secure financial relief for Ohio cities. Members of the committee include Law Director Dotson of Toledo, C. W. Osborn, city attorney-elect of Youngstown, and Law Directors Harshman and Savor of Dayton and Sandusky.

TO PRESBYTERIAN CAMP

Spreads the Verbal Battle Over the Questions of Creed.

New York, Dec. 19.—The battle over the questions of creed which has waged between fundamentalists and modernists of the Episcopal and Baptist churches has spread to the Presbyterian camp.

Three prominent pastors signed the pamphlet, which repudiates the five "articles of faith," drawn up by the Presbyterian general assembly at Indianapolis last May. They are: Dr. William Pierson Merrill, the Rev. Terminus Van Dyke and the Rev. Theodore Savage, secretary of the Church Extension society.

While Bishop Manning continued his silence in the Episcopal controversy following the challenge of the Rev. Leighton Parks to try him for heresy, it became known that the modernists will seek control of the denomination's ecclesiastical affairs at the next general convention in New Orleans in 1925.

HERE AND THERE

Loss was placed at \$200,000 in a fire which threatened the business district of Columbus, Ga.

Coroner George E. Blood of Chautauque county, N. Y., has returned a verdict in the wreck of the Twentieth Century Limited at Forsythe crossing in which he holds no one criminally responsible for the killing of nine persons and injury to a score of others.

Attempts by residents of Marlow, Okla., to enforce an unwritten law prohibiting negroes from living within the village limits resulted in a gun battle and in the killing of Albert Berch, hotel proprietor, and Robert Joinigen, negro porter.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

CHICAGO, Dec. 19.

Cattle—Top steers, \$11.50; bulk of sales, \$7.50; 25; stockers and feeders, \$5.50; 50; calves, \$7.50; 50; hogs—Top, \$7.25; bulk of sales, \$5.85; 15; packing sows, \$6.40; 65; pigs, \$4.40; 60; Sheep and Lambs—Native spring lambs, \$10.12; 50; ewes, \$5.00; 7; Receipts—Cattle, 11,000; hogs, 68,000; sheep and lambs, 12,000.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 19.

Cattle—Steers, \$4.40; 50; heifers, \$3.75; 6; cows, \$1.25; 25; bulls, \$2.75; 25; calves, \$5.12; 50; Hogs—Yorks, \$7.35; mediums and heavies, \$7.50; pigs and lights, \$6.75; roughs, \$5; stags, \$4.50; Sheep and Lambs—Lambs, \$10.12; 50; sheep, \$2.00; Receipts—Cattle, 1,000; hogs, 4,000; sheep and lambs, 1,500.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 19.

Cattle—Steers, \$9.50; 10; heifers, \$7.00; cows, \$5.25; 25; calves, top, \$12; Hogs—Heavies, heavy Yorkers and light Yorkers, \$7.50; 7; 60; pigs, \$7.25; 25; Sheep and Lambs—Top sheep, \$7.75; top lambs, \$13; Receipts—Hogs, 3,000; sheep and lambs, 1,000.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 19.

Cattle—Steers, \$4.40; 10; heifers, \$3.50; 9; cows, \$2.50; 50; calves, \$4.11; Hogs—Heavies and packers and butchers, \$7.25; mediums, \$7.10; light shippers, \$7; fat sows, \$5.75; 75; pigs, \$5.00; 25; stags, \$4.40; 75; Sheep and Lambs—Lambs, \$4.13; sheep, \$1.60; 50; Receipts—Cattle, 400; hogs, 6,200; sheep and lambs, 275.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 19.

Butter—Fancy creamery, \$3.54; 40; Ohio rolls, \$3.32; 30; store packed, 30c; Eggs—Ohio firsts, 40c; Live Poultry—Young chickens, 18¢; 23¢; old hens, 17¢; 23¢; old roosters, 13¢; 14c.

BOSTON, Dec. 19.

Wool—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces: Delaine unwashed, 55¢; 10c; the unwashed, 18¢; 10c; half blood combing, 55¢; three-fourths blood combing, 54¢; 55c.

TOLEDO, Dec. 19.

Corn, 40¢; 50¢; cloverseed, \$12.05.

ANCHOR WINDWARD

By ADA M. B. STEVENS

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THE shallow harbor of Pebbly Beach was wracked by the storm. If this continued, it would not be long before the fishermen must put away their eel-pots and get ready for the run of cod. John turned a trained eye on the weather and thought with satisfaction of the deep-sea fishing, when he could go out with his friend, Dave, and leave his wife, Mary, to tend the cabin on the shore. Mary, a village girl, could not bear Dave and was jealous of his wife.

The storm was not only over the waters, but it brooded in the cabin, for there was Dave's boat across the little harbor. Its lights winked and beckoned, winked and beckoned, with the rocking of the waves. John felt his wife's eye upon him.

"You'll not go over to Dave's tonight, John?" Mary caught the white enamel cup as it slid to the edge of the table. "No use to think of coffee till the tide turns. It's a cold supper tonight, John, and a rough night for the little Mary Ann."

John felt helpless before her intuition. Her little figure, drawn to the uncompromising severity born of a

host of rock-bound ancestors, seemed repellent in its unwelcome judgment.

"You'll not go over tonight?" She spoke slowly. John made no reply. He ate his cold supper of bread with ham and cheese. He missed his coffee. No use to light the stove or set a pot upon its swaying top. When he had it, he often went to sleep on one of the broad bunkers and forgot the lure of the headlight across the way.

John ate the last crumb of his bread and wiped his mouth on the back of his broad hand. Then he opened the door and looked out. The cozy cabin across the small harbor lured him. "It's not so bad," he muttered; "I won't stay long."

"Put out the heavy anchor, anyway." Mary's voice sounded resigned. Many a time she'd helped him heave its rasping length. John thought her sullen now. He liked best a woman who could laugh and weep and think no shame of it. He answered carelessly.

"No, I'll not put the big anchor out. The small anchor will hold till I come back." He loosed the rope that held the swaying dory. "Hang out the lantern in half an hour!" He tried to put some sternness into his voice.

Her laugh came unpleasantly along the rail. He heard the key turn in the cabin door, and swore under his breath. Then the memory of David's cheerful cabin cheered him, and he pushed into the sea. It pulled the oars in his strong hands. Soon the struggle absorbed him. It was a feat to tie up

safely on Dave's lee side and climb aboard.

"I won't stay long," he cried in answer to the hearty greetings. "It's a nasty night and the girl's alone."

The cabin was cozy. There were merry words, and jokes beyond his Mary's appetite. John felt exhilarated. It did him good. Why should he leave? Here was warmth and joy. What mattered tides or storms? This was nothing to that storm off Newfoundland—and he launched into a yarn. Then, in the heat, he dozed.

He woke to find a graying in the sky. A change of temperature had pulled the mist from the still rolling waves. No light penetrated the dark to lead him to his boat. Where was the Mary Ann? He woke up Dave, a panic seizing him. Suppose his wife had floated out to sea! He had not meant to stay! Of all things she was the most desirable.

Round and round they rowed, until at last the dawn threw up the shadow of the vessel dragged against the rocks. The taut rope of the forward anchor dipped and ran. Had Mary put it out alone? He tied up to the rail with trembling hands and then he saw her crumpled on the deck.

'Twas Dave who cut the rope that held her down and took her fainting to the cabin, applying rough seaman's remedies. She opened eyes that smiled and closed again. They made the long trip to the hospital.

A day of cruel waiting followed.

then John tiptoed to the bed. Somehow, through his awkward posture on the edge of the straight-backed chair, he saw that she sensed his new humility. She put a tired hand in his, while the other lay purple in its sling.

"Was it enough?" Her voice came weakly, faltering.

"Yes," John blessed her reticence. "There'll never be another night like that for you, my lass."

Then, somehow, there was Dave back by the door. He entered awkwardly. "The next time your man comes, you come too," he said.

Then Mary smiled, and by the simple alchemy of unformed thought working instinctively to build a new foundation for two lives the gulf was spanned between them. Dave had faded out of sight.

John bent over his woman, who had so bravely tried to save herself and the boat, Mary Ann. He vowed that in the choice of good or ill his Mary was the best; the rest could go.

"The cod are running?" She whispered it. "The season's done. We'll take another turn next year."

John straightened up. "So help me God!" he said.

Odd Recipe for Longevity.

Mrs. Elizabeth Watson of Dalton, Eng., who has attained the age of one hundred and two years, ascribes her longevity to plain fare of roast beef and beer.

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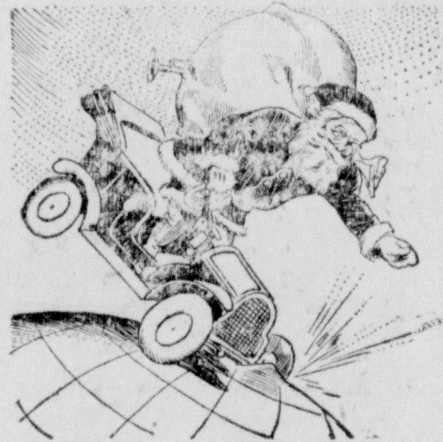
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Part of the Game.
A referee has lodged a complaint against the football club on whose grounds he was assaulted by several spectators who disagreed with his decisions. Although sympathizing with him we fear his attempt to rob our national game of its most sporting element will not meet with general approval.—Punch, London.

Never Alone.
The man who lives under an habitual sense of the divine presence keeps up a perpetual cheerfulness of temper, and enjoys every moment the satisfaction of thinking himself in company with his dearest and best of friends. The time never lies heavy upon him: it is impossible for him to be alone.—Joseph Addison.

Eyes of Plants.
Of course we know that trees have circulation, not of blood but of sap, that goes upward in the spring and downward in the autumn. It has been demonstrated also that plants have eyes, certain epidermal cells being really convex lenses filled with clear sap that brings the light rays to a focus somewhere within the cells. These little lenses are able to form images just as the eyes of insects do.

Hotel Stenographer
BY ROE FULKERSON
"What do you call him?" asked the House Detective watching the old gentleman who had just left her desk.
"I always call what they ain't," replied the Hotel Stenographer. "So I guess I called that old boy 'kid,' or something."

"Kelly, I meet all ages in this job of taking letters from hotel guests. If I have learned anything about men from the assortment of traveling guys bootleggers, bankers and college boys who have dictated letters to me it is that you must call 'em what they are not."

"If I call a wicked old man a wicked old man he gets mad, but if he tries to take me out to dinner and I tell him that he is a bad boy he swells up like a poisoned pup and leaves a dollar as a tip."

"If a college boy dictates a letter home to papa for money and then wants to take me out that night to dance with him, I would make him mad if I tell him I do not play with kids, but if I tell him I am afraid to go out evenings with wicked men of the world, he beams like a searchlight and, just to show he is a man of the world drops a dollar tip on the desk and breezes on his way as happy as I am."

"If they are fat, I tell them they must be wonderful dancers; if they are thin, I compliment their figures. My theory is that none of us are trying to make people think we are what we are not. Yet, in spite of us, exactly what we are sticks out all over us like the stripes on a zebra."

"But if you want people's money you've got to make 'em happy and so I always try to please them by making them believe they are what I know they are not, for I know they do not want to be thought what they really are!"

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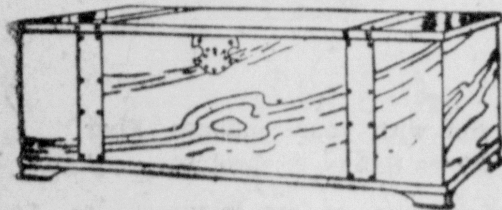
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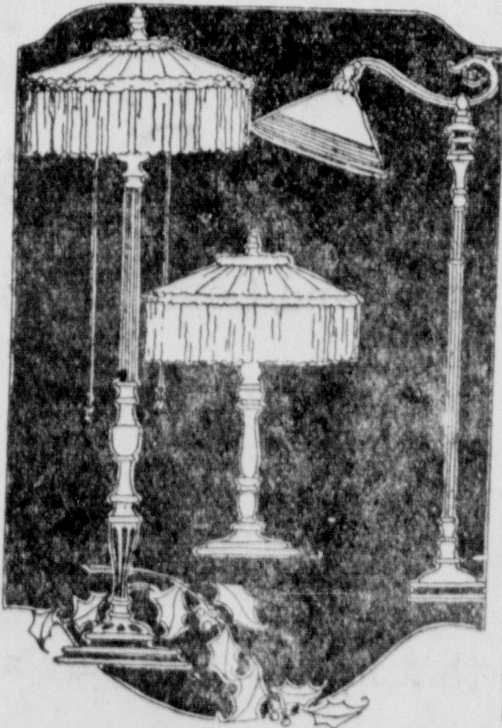
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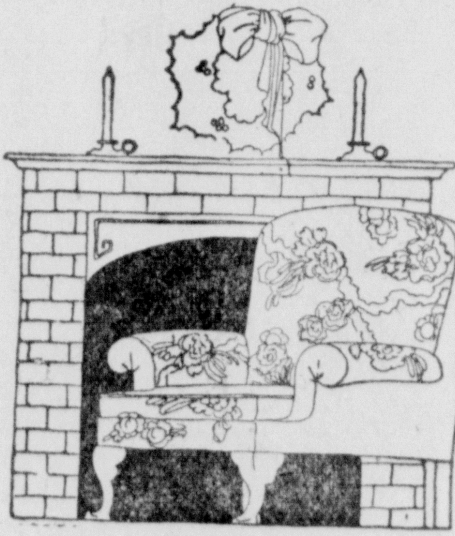
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First National Bank.
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National bank of Circleville, Ohio, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may properly come before it, will be held at the office of the First National bank, of Circleville, Ohio, on Tuesday, January 8, 1924, at two o'clock P. M.
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BACK ON OLD JOB.

Edward A. Schreiner, who was instructor in the shoe department of the vocational department at Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, for over a year has resigned to accept his old position at Sweyer's Quick Shoe Repair shop. Mr. Schreiner is an expert shoe repair man and Mr. Sweyer is to be congratulated in securing his services. A. E. Steele who was with Mr. Sweyer for over a year, has resigned to accept a position with the Millet-Lerch Shoe Manufacturing company, Columbus.

FOR QUICK SALE.

1918 Ford touring \$50.
1920 Ford coupe \$235.
Ford ton truck with body and cab, almost new Kelly caterpillar tires in rear and motor in good running order \$150.
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FARM BUREAU

Live Stock Commissions Set Up at Buffalo, Cleveland and Pittsburg.

In the last one and one-half years, the Farm Bureau has been responsible for setting up live stock commission houses at Buffalo, Cleveland and Pittsburg, the three principle markets to which most of Ohio's live stock is consigned. Plans are also under way for starting a commission house at Cincinnati.

In spite of the fact that these commission houses were at first boycotted by buyers especially at Buffalo and in spite of all the propaganda circulated against them, they have come to the front in each of their respective yards and are now handling far more business than the old line companies. During the week ending December 8, the cooperative commission house at Buffalo handled 239 decks of live stock, whereas the nearest competitor handled only 113 and only two competitors handled 100 decks. The Cleveland cooperative commission house has lead the market for a great many weeks while the youngest of the commission houses at Pittsburg during the past month has taken the lead in amount of live stock handled.

These cooperative commission houses are run on the patronage plan whereby shippers receive dividends according to the amount of live stock consigned. During the past year, commission houses in the midwestern states paid dividends amounting to approximately thirty-five per cent of the commission collected or an average of five dollars per single deck of hogs.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

The premier dance of the holiday season to be given in honor of the young people, who will be home from college for the holidays will be given at the Parish house New Year's afternoon. It will be a Leap Year tea dance and the hours will be from three to six. The music will be furnished by the famous quartet of the State university, The Scarlet Masque Players, which will be an entertainment in itself. This dance will probably be the largest social event of the holiday season and many out of town young folks are expected to be present. An entertainment committee will provide novelty dances and is preparing a most interesting program.

At the meeting of the Monday club this week the response to roll call was given with Christmas thought. A paper read by Miss Carrie Johnson and a talk given by the president, Mrs. W. T. Ulm, were given on The Holy Land. "Holy Night" was sung by the members. Mrs. W. J. Graham was elected to membership. The president concluded the program by treating the ladies to bonbons.

The December meeting of the Jackson township W. C. T. U. was held Wednesday afternoon, December 12, at the home of Mrs. Ida Rader. There was a good attendance of both members and visitors. Interesting W. C. T. U. literature was read by Mrs. Ida Rader, Miss Mary Shortridge and Mrs. John Ward. The county superintendent, Mrs. Lucy B. Price, gave some interesting advice to the union. Devotionals were in charge of Mrs. Modie Renick. After the program and the addition of four new members to the union refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held January 9, at the home of Mrs. Ethel Shook. Visitors are welcome.

HOSPITAL PATIENTS.

H. S. Heffner, who sustained an injury to his left knee cap in an auto accident the early part of last month is expected to arrive home from Mt. Carmel hospital Columbus either tomorrow or Friday.

Charles Hall, of Watt street, who underwent an operation at Mt. Carmel hospital, Columbus, four weeks ago, will arrive home today accompanied by his wife.

DOUBLE HEADER.

Holiday game of basketball between Circleville high school and Pickerington boys and girls. Game Friday evening, December 21, at 7:30 o'clock. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

For that Christmas present see Cad dy Miller's line of Hats, Caps, Gloves Underwear, Shirts, Ties, Mufflers, Socks, Umbrellas, Sweaters, Smoking Jackets, Bath Robes, etc. etc.

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Our want ads bring results.

ELLIOTT NICHOLS

Died at Athens in His Eightieth Year—Funeral Services Friday.

Elliott Nichols died at the State hospital, Athens, Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. The deceased was born in Newport, Kentucky, September 22, 1844, and was the son of William and Christena Mills Nichols. He was a retired farmer and has been a resident of this county thirty years. His wife, Mary Nichols, died in 1909.

The funeral services will be held Friday morning December 21, at 9:30 o'clock at the Albaugh company's chapel. Rev. H. B. Welch will officiate. Interment in Jackson township cemetery.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Gordon Quincell spent the day in Columbus.

Mrs. Elmer Caldwell spent the day in Columbus.

Clyde Mowery of Tarlton, spent the day in Columbus.

W. B. Morrison was a business visitor in Columbus today.

Walter Julian of Newark, was a visitor in this city Tuesday.

James I. Smith and John Fitzpatrick spent the day in Columbus.

Miss Lulu Anderson, of New Holland, spent the day in Columbus.

Mrs. Roy Stout and Mrs. Edward Shanton spent the day in Columbus.

Mrs. L. F. Smith and daughter Margaret Ann, spent the day in Columbus.

Miss May Hibbens spent the day in Columbus visiting her sister, Mrs. A. E. Lowe.

Miss Maxine Snyder spent the day in Columbus, the guest of her brother, George Snyder.

Mrs. Lizzie Brown, Mrs. C. H. Rihl and daughter, Mary Alice, spent the day in Columbus.

Mrs. Martha Phillips of Columbus, who has been the guest of her brother John Banister, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith of Toledo, are guests of her parents Colonel and Mrs. C. E. Groce, for the holidays.

Attorney James Sawyer of Newark, is home to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Sawyer.

Miss Ruth Hummel, a student at Oberlin college, Oberlin, will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Hummel.

Mrs. Estel Roseboom of Columbus, who has been the guest of her father, John Vincent, and Mr. and Mrs. William Roseboom, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Tolbert and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chappellear attended the Strickland Gillilan lecture at the Masonic temple, Columbus, Tuesday evening.

Miss Mary Holman, a student at the Vermont State university, Burlington Vermont, is home for the holidays the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Holman.

Kemper Hammel will arrive home Thursday morning from Northwestern university, Chicago, Illinois, to spend the holiday vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hammel.

Sergeant Miller M. Fissell, a student at the Miami Military university, arrived home today to spend the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fissell, of East Mound street.

David and Vattier Courtright and Lemuel Weldon, students at Cornell university, Ithaca, New York, will arrive home Sunday to spend the Christmas holidays with their parents.

Miss Elizabeth Roth will arrive home Thursday morning from Ogontz school, Pennsylvania, to spend the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Roth of North Scioto street.

George McCrea, Donald Morris and Rufus Short, students at Washington and Jefferson college at Uniontown, Pennsylvania, will arrive home Friday to spend the holidays with their parents.

Miss Margaret Weldon, a student at Mt. Holyoke, South Hadley, Massachusetts, Misses Martha Wilder and Frances Walling, students at the Randolph-Lincoln seminary, Lynchburg, Virginia, will arrive home Friday to spend the holiday vacation with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. Hitt and daughter, Helen, of Jackson; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth V. Miller and daughter, Norma Jean, of Piqua and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Madison of Columbus, will join the family circle and enjoy a Christmas tree at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Hitt of North Scioto street next Tuesday.

Try a want ad.

CONGRESSMAN

Underwood Has Been Given Important Committee Assignments.

Mell G. Underwood, New Lexington, congressman, has been selected by the ways and means committee of the house of representatives to serve upon three of the most important committees in the Sixty-eight congress; the committee on invalid pensions, the committee on enrolled bills and the committee on mines and mining.

Mr. Underwood, who is the youngest member of the Ohio delegation, is indeed very fortunate in being assigned during his first term in congress upon these important committees, upon two of which, his predecessor, Edwin D. Ricketts, served. The committee on invalid pensions and the committee on enrolled bills.

The committee on invalid pensions is an important one as it is thru this committee that all of the pension legislation affecting Civil war veterans is worked out.

The committee on mines and mining is also one of the main committees of the house. Legislation affecting the public, mining interests and the welfare of the men who work in the mines is handled by this committee.

The committee on enrolled bills was first instituted in 1789 by a joint rule of the two houses and is one of the oldest committees in congress. Congressman Underwood is complimented by being one of the three Democrats selected from the 205 Democratic members of the house to serve on this particular committee. Its duties are the enrollment of engrossed bills which are placed upon the statute books as the laws of our country.

Aiding Axiators.

Small balloons are sent up twice daily from thirty-one observing stations in the United States to ascertain direction and velocity of air currents.

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BANQUET

Implement Dealers Held Interesting Meeting at American Hotel.

The district meeting of International Harvester implement dealers from Ross, Fairfield, Hocking and this county met at the American hotel, in this city, Tuesday.

Twenty-four dealers were present and were guests of the branch manager, L. H. Lightcap, of Columbus.

A banquet was given at which Mr. Lightcap made an address. The fact was brought out that in face of prevailing prices of farm products the feeling amongst farmers is very optimistic and the outlook for 1924 is very encouraging to dealers.

TRANSFERRED TO COLUMBUS

Wilbur V. Malden, who has been subbing at the Western Union Telegraph office and who was recently sent to Toledo on detail work, has made good and has been transferred to Columbus to take the wire during the holiday rush.

RUN DOWN BY AUTO.

Mrs. E. M. Hines and sister, Alice Jeffries, of Columbus, suffered severe cuts and bruises Monday night when they were struck at Tenth avenue and High street by the automobile of Charles Cummins, Worthington. An ambulance of the W. H. Amos Co., removed them to the home of Miss Jeffries.

The injured women were formerly residents of this city. Mrs. Hines is a sister-in-law of Mrs. W. E. Denman of East Main street.

STORES OPEN.

All the stores of the city will be open evenings on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday.

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Small Pen Knives.....\$1.00 to \$1.50
Knife Sharpeners.....35c

For Father or Brother

Pocket Knives.....25c to \$3.00
Dad's Lanterns.....\$4.50
Hatchets.....75c to \$2.50
Hammers.....50c to \$2.25
Hand Saws.....\$1.25 to \$3.25
Tool Chest.....\$6.00 to \$12.00
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JACKSON SCHOOL.
The Christmas program of the Jackson township school will be given Friday evening, December 21, at 7:15 o'clock. No admission charge will be made. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Daily Thought.
Never anger made good guard for itself.—Shakespeare.

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JANUARY TERM

Grand and Petit Jurors Drawn by Clerk of Courts Adrian Yates.

The following names for the grand and petit jurors for the January term were drawn by the Clerk of Courts Adrian Yates in the presence of Sheriff Robert J. Young and Judge Curtin Monday, December 17. The grand jury will convene January 7, 1924.

The grand jurors are: Frank Valentine, Washington; Charles Phillips, Scioto; J. T. Timmons, Perry; Russell Wardell and Victor Ater, Deercreek; Turney Woolever, Muhlenberg; David Six and J. T. Brinker of Walnut; John Mack, Third ward; A. E. Washburn, Second ward; R. L. Brehmer, O. D. Mader and Guy Rader, First ward; Ralph Boggs, Pickaway; Walter Parker, Saltercreek.

The names drawn for the petit jury which is called to meet Monday, January 14, are as follows: H. R. Matheas and Ross Neff, Darby; Charles Mason, N. E. Thomas, A. C. Cook, First ward; James Newland and Fred H. Fissell, Second ward; George G. Groom and Nelson Fox and Charles Leshner, Third ward; Glen T. Grimes, Dayton Mouser W. T. Hoskins and Galen Kirkpatrick of Perry; Walter Berger, Herbert Sweyer, Harrison; F. A. Beatty, Muhlenberg; Stephen Jones, H. W. Florence, Jackson township; Cecil Hanawalt, Monroe; Whitney Lamb, Scioto; Dell Barr, Saltercreek; Guy Rector, Deercreek; Clarence E. Noecker, Madison township.

AMUSEMENTS

A stampede of four thousand cattle, filmed at great risk to the players and under strange circumstances, forms one of the many thrilling episodes in "The Eagle's Feather," the Metro picture of Katharine Newlin Burt's famous story of the same name, now showing at the Met theater.

The stampede was filmed in the vicinity of Convict Lake located in the high Sierras above the little town of Bishop on the border line between California and Nevada. Great cattle ranchers sprawl for hundreds of miles thru this beautiful valley and here millions of cattle are rounded up several times during the year and sent to the slaughter houses thru the middle west.

The great herd which figures in "The Eagle's Feather" stampede was driven for more than one hundred miles from the famous Smithsonian ranch in California to the location near Convict Lake. So vast was the enterprise that no ranch owner in the vicinity was willing to lend his herd for this scene, claiming that the value of their herds would greatly depreciate if they were hard driven. Finally as the only way out, Metro Pictures Corporation temporarily took the entire management of the Smithsonian ranch, holding itself responsible for any accident to the herd or loss of value during its proprietorship.

James Kirkwood, who enacts one of the leading roles in "The Eagle's Feather," narrowly escaped death during the taking of the stampede. At the direction of Edward Sloman, Mr. Kirkwood and a score of cowboys began to herd the cattle within focus of the camera when the entire herd suddenly broke and rushed madly in Mr. Kirkwood's direction. Ordinarily a swift horse can keep safely ahead of a dangerous cattle stampede, but Mr. Kirkwood's mount suddenly fell and threw his rider to the ground and straight in the path of the infuriated onrushing cattle. Luckily the herd apparently frightened at the horse who was kicking and whining piteously in his attempts to get out of danger, parted on either side and swept by leaving the actor with only a sprained ankle, bruises and cuts.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM.
Of the High street school December 20, at the high school auditorium at 7:15 o'clock.
Christmas Greeting Ned Plum
Mousie's Joke Second Grade
Recitations First Grade
Song Second Grade
The Three Kings Helen Palm
Mrs. Santa Comes Into Her Own...
..... Third Grade
Recitations Second Grade
The Christmas Fairy and Scrooge
..... Fourth Grade
Recitations First Grade
Christmas Song Third Grade
Toyland Fifth Grade
Recitations First Grade
Song Sara K. Kelsner
The Christmas Wreath First Grade
Queen Christmas Sixth Grade

Mountain Scenery.
One of the principal charms of mountain scenery is its solitude.—Ruskin.

CHRISTMAS TREAT

Children of Salvation Army Needs Your Loyal Support.

Let us show the real Christmas spirit by our liberal donations toward the treat for the little tots of the Salvation Army Sunday school at this place. Those wishing to contribute please call 'phone 666. This is a worthy cause and should receive the hearty support of every citizen.

The Army hall on West Main street is open for services Thursday, Saturday and Sunday evenings with a growing Sunday school on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Come and enjoy the splendid services with us. Christmas program on Christmas night.

A GREAT TRIP.

Fred Weaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Weaver, who is clarinetist in Sousa's band, will spend Christmas week in Spokane, Washington, and will be in San Francisco, California, the following week. The band will then tour southern California thru the south to Florida and Cuba.

CHRISTMAS BLOOMS FROM BUCK'S GREENHOUSES.

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19dec4.

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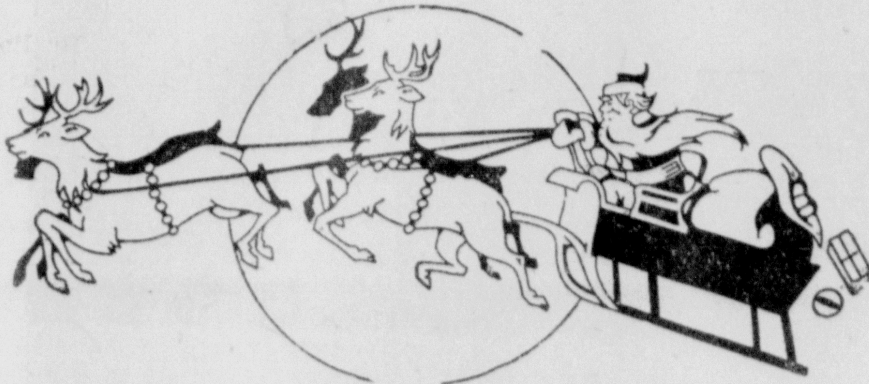
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Bows, all styles - - - 25c to 50c
Club Ties - - - 50 to \$1.00

Underwear

In union or two piece, in Wool or Cotton and at all prices.

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The ordinary village barber of Egypt bears a certain resemblance, in so far as his profession goes, to the barber-surgeon of ancient times in England. He is authorized by law, after having passed an examination, to perform vaccination, application of leeches, cupping, simple dressings, but is forbidden to order or prescribe medicines.

Sophistication.
Bernice had some of her little friends in for luncheon the other day and among other things she had olives. She offered them to Effie, who said she did not like them, whereupon Bernice replied in a superior fashion: "Oh, I didn't like 'em myself at first, but you must accumulate a taste for them."

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YES, LITTLE GIRL, THERE

IS A SANTA CLAUS.

A number of years ago little Virginia O'Hanlon wrote to Charles A. Dana, who was then editor of the New York Sun, asking about the reality of Santa Claus, because, as she said, "If you see it in The Sun, it's so." The answer, which was written by Francis Pharcellus Church, for thirty years editorial writer on The Sun and who died a number of years since, has become a classic.

Here is Virginia's letter:

"Dear Editor:—I am eight years old. Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus. Papa says if you see it in The Sun it's so. Please tell me the truth. Is there a Santa Claus?"

"Virginia O'Hanlon."

And here is the interesting reply of The Sun:

"Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. Your little friends are wrong. They are affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do not believe, except they see. They think nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds. All minds, Virginia, whether they be men's or children's are little. In this great universe of ours man is a mere insect, an ant in his intellect as compared with the boundless world about him as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole of truth and knowledge."

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! How dreary would be the world if there were no Virginias. There would be no childlike faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies! You might as well hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would they prove? Nobody see Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see. Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders there are unseen and unseeable in the world.

You tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man nor the united strength of all the strongest men that ever lived, could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond. Is it all real? Ah, Virginia, in all this world there is nothing else real and abiding.

No Santa Claus! Thank God! he lives and he lives forever. A thousand years from now, Virginia, may ten times ten thousand years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood."

Stars of "Dipper."

The stars of the "little dipper" are all constantly moving at tremendous velocities and mostly in different directions, say astronomers, but so vast is their distance from us that they have not changed their relative positions to any appreciable extent within the memory of man.

Rabbit Dinner.

While touring in northern Wisconsin one night two big rabbits ran into the road in front of my machine. They were blinded by the bright light from my headlights, and it was an easy matter to get out and catch them both. I had a good dinner the next day.—Exchange.

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At the Presbyterian church on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, the Young Woman's Bible class will present The Nativity, a short Christmas service. It is composed entirely of selections from the Bible, arranged in dramatic form on the plan of a mystery play, picturing the incidents of the gospel story of the Nativity, and accompanied by Christmas carols. The service should have a threefold appeal—the Bible words, the music, and the scenes of the Nativity. Everyone will be welcome.
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CHRISTMAS PROGRAM.
The Christmas program of the High street school will be held on Thursday evening, December 20, at 7:15 in the high school auditorium. Admission 20 cents for adults, 10 cents for children. All those connected with, or interested in the school are urged to attend, and the public is cordially invited.
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Worse Than the Other.
A senses taker—the blackjack.—
Boston Transcript.

FISH THAT SHOCKS ITS PREY

Whenever an Enemy Approaches the Torpedo It Emits From Its Body a Kind of Electricity.

The torpedo, or electric ray, grows to a large size, sometimes weighing seventy or eighty pounds. This peculiar fish has a nearly circular body, a short tail and a very small mouth. The back is brownish in color and the underneath parts are white.

The torpedo obtains its name from its power of giving a violent shock, similar to an electric shock, to anything with which it comes in contact. Whenever an enemy approaches the fish emits from its body a kind of electricity, which incapacitates the attacker immediately. In capturing its food the torpedo fish finds this power of use. Being very inactive, it cannot pursue the small fish which form its diet, so it lies in wait until they swim close by and then throws out its powerful shock, which instantly renders them helpless.

If a person touches this strange fish he is attacked by a shock, which affects the stomach, producing a kind of convulsion. For this reason the torpedo is sometimes known as the "cramp fish."—Detroit News.

Snuff Taking Dies.
In days gone by snuff taking was general and considered a polite act. Polite people offered snuff just as men now offer cigarettes. However, it is not entirely a thing of the past. An English writer says that many persons engaged in night work still use it, and some ministers of religion. And a few old ladies, who learned the habit when it was much more prevalent than it is now, still cling to their snuff boxes and take a pinch now and then. The jar in which David Garrick's special brand was kept is still preserved. But the days when every buck and beau carried his box are gone, and there seems to be little prospect of their return.

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DINOSAUR TRACKS IN EAST

Remains of Prehistoric Animal Found Near Old Home of President James Monroe.

Strange three-toed tracks found in blocks of sandstone quarried to make a walk in front of the former home of President James Monroe at "Oak Hill" near Aldie, Loudoun county, six miles from Leesburg, Va., have been declared by scientists to be the footprints made in the sand by a gigantic reptilian dinosaur fifteen million years ago.

While dinosaurs are chiefly known from reconstruction of fossil bones found in the western states, where these pre-historic creatures were apparently most abundant, many tracks of these creatures have been found in eastern states before, although few remains of the fossil reptiles themselves have yet come to light in the East.

The first evidence of dinosaurs was turned up by a farmer's plow in Connecticut in 1802, and was in the form of impressions similar to the footprints in the sands of geologic time just unearthed near Leesburg. At that time, these mysterious tracks were thought to belong to some unknown bird and became known as the tracks of Noah's raven. Later investigation and the finding of skeletal remains of the dinosaurs in the West in 1870 showed that extinct reptiles of gigantic size had made them.

The finding of these fossils where President Monroe once lived has recalled to historians that Thomas Jefferson, another president from Virginia and a close personal and political friend of Monroe's, was on of this country's earliest fossil hunters and himself discovered what he termed Megalosaurus, or "The Great Claw," a prehistoric giant sloth which lived hundreds of thousands of years ago, but several million years later than the dinosaurs.—Kansas City Star.

Cause for National Pride.
In Norway there are practically no illiterates.

MASCOTS OF THE STAGE

Actresses Have All Sorts of "Lucky" Nicknames on Their Dressing Tables.

"What a lot of mascots!" That is one of the first things that most nontheatrical folk exclaim on looking at an actress' dressing table. There are queer, ugly golliwogs, horseshoes of all sorts and sizes, every kind of tiny toy, and quaintly gay pin cushions, while first-night wires, wishing luck, are pinned up on the looking glass or wall. These are just a few of the treasures.

Why such a collection? you may ask. The answer would almost invariably be that they were "lucky," that they had brought new contracts and happy engagements at one time or another, and so they must find a place on the dressing table.

Stage folk, you see, are superstitious. There are lots of things the beginner has to learn when she first enters the profession.

She must never, on any account, whistle in the dining room. It's terribly unlucky. If she should, she must go out, turn round three times outside the door, and then knock to be admitted again.

If she sees a piece of cotton or thread of any sort hanging on to any one else's clothes she should immediately pick it off and keep it, because it means a new contract for her.

Two very old stage superstitions are never to quote "Macbeth" and never to wear real flowers on the stage. This is seldom done, even now. There may be a good reason for this superstition, because if the petals should drop they might cause players to slip on the stage.

A very lucky omen is for a blob of carmine grease paint to get accidentally smeared on the teeth while the actress is "making up" her lips. She wipes it off most carefully and lovingly!

And she collects and keeps all her little mascots, and takes them about with her from place to place if she is on tour, putting them in just the same positions on her dressing table every week. For they've brought her luck, she says, and they are going to bring her still more!—London Tit-Bits.

Early Egyptian Tombs.
The kings of the earliest dynasties reared no pyramids. Their tombs were great structures mainly underground—that of Aha (who is possibly Mena, the first king of Egypt), at Naqada measures 175 feet by 83, and contains 21 chambers—built sometimes of brick, with a lining of wood, and sometimes floored with stone, as in the case of the tomb of King Den at Abydos, whose granite floor furnishes the earliest known example of the use of stone in building.—National Geographic Society Bulletin.

Eccentricities of Genius.
Paul Verlaine, a modern French poet, was a genius whose life was passed in alternate stages of religious ecstasy and deplorable excesses. After 1870 he led the traditional bohemian life in Paris, then disappeared for eleven years. In 1881 he appeared in the public eye as a quasi-Catholic with his "Sageuse," perhaps his best-known work. From this time to his death in 1896 Verlaine remained, except for brief intervals, among the cafes of the Latin quarter, drinking absinthe, carousing and writing verse and journalistic articles.

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"Coille, you mean?"
"No, I mean just what I say—coaly. Money wouldn't buy that dog. You see, several years ago I trained him to bark at the railway trains as they passed our house. That's his business—barking at trains. He annoys the railway men so much that every stoker on the line has sworn to kill him. Oh, but he is a valuable dog!"
"I can't see where the value comes in."
"No? Well, you could if you were in my place and had all the coal you could burn and some to sell thrown off at your back door free of cost."

Preceded the Umbrella.
Before the umbrella came there was what was known as the quitasol—a parasol of oiled muslin, whose material was imported from India via England. The quitasol was a feminine monopoly. The man wore a "roque-laure," or cape of oiled linen. The first umbrella was fashioned of this material and had ribs of rattan.

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The house and lot known as the Stein property on East Main street will be offered at public sale at the court house on December 31, 1923, at 2 o'clock p. m.

This is a desirable property, large lot, well located, can be repaired and is one of the best building locations in the city.
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AT THE MAISON HOGRELLE

Restaurant and Grocery Near Camp Coetquidan in Brittany Was Transformed by Doughboys.

Near Camp Coetquidan in Brittany was the town of Guer. On the outskirts of the town was a combination restaurant and grocery store kept by the widow Hogrelle. When the first Americans arrived in the camp it was possible to get a supper of broiled chicken, with all the fixings, done in the real French style over an open fire of brush, for 5 francs (about \$1. American). Two young girls, Vivienne and Germaine, assisted in serving the patrons, says Leonard H. Nelson. Vivienne was inclined to be a little fleshy, and Germaine had no teeth, but otherwise they were very winsome.

The Americans, however, delighted in astonishing the French by throwing 20 franc notes about, ordering champagne by the dozen, and otherwise behaving as if they were all millionaires. This had a very demoralizing effect upon the Maison Hogrelle, and when the writer returned there in the fall of 1918, after the number of Americans in France had risen from 200,000 to 2,000,000, the price of a chicken supper was 40 francs, champagne extra at 15 francs the bottle. Vivienne was wearing corsets, so that she looked like a pillow with a string tied about its middle, and Germaine had a set of false teeth.—Adventure Magazine.

Cats and Dogs at Peace.

There is one place near Philadelphia where cats and dogs dwell together in peace. It is a cemetery devoted to pets. It is at Francisville, and contains many handsome tombstones.

TURBOT IS ALWAYS THERE

Permanent Fixture Found in the Menu of an English Dining Car.

One of the first truths to be learned from the study of esthetics is that the nature of the material, the existing cause, of pleasure goes for very little in the composition of that pleasure. It is what we bring, not what we receive, which makes us glad or sorry. An instance of this great philosophical truth is within easy reach of every traveler.

No one, not even the master caterers of the great railway companies, whose new names are still as strange to us, would lay hand on heart and swear that in respect to quality the meals served in the luncheon cars of our long-distance trains were choice food. Considering the difficulties, they are surprisingly dished, and deftly served by the obliging waiters.

But there is nearly always turbot, or cod—fishes that, when they take the train or stay in a hotel, become as uninteresting, as reserved, as flatly respectable as English travelers themselves. The choice between roast joint hot and pressed beef or ham cold seems no choice at all, but a double compulsion, as of pistols or swords to a timid duelist. And the meal, unlike all other meals, be it luncheon or be it dinner, strikes one as drawing slowly crescendo to a climax of sweetish biscuits and gorgonzola cheese. Why is there nearly always gorgonzola cheese in the train, and why does one always eat and enjoy it there, and rarely anywhere else?—London Times.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

Scotch and English.

Four separate wrecks had cast up four men on a lonely island of the South seas. There were two Scotchmen and two Englishmen. After several years a passing steamer hove to and took the four men aboard. Sandy and Donald found their way to the skipper's cabin and in telling their experiences Sandy said: "It would grieve you, mon, to see the Englishmen. Never a word did they speak all the time they were there; they were not introduced." "And hoo did ye lads muck oot?" Inquired the skipper. "Aye, mon, the dee I found Donald on the beach we organized a Caledonian society, a golf club and a Presbyterian church."—Capper's Weekly.

CHRISTMAS CANTATA.

The Robtown Sunday school will give the cantata, "The Night Before Christmas" at the church Sunday evening, December 23.

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SMALL TOWN HUMOR AND PHILOSOPHY

By BUCK CAMPBELL

If thy neighbor offend thee, cut his acquaintance.

It is all right for the people to rule if they rule your way.

Blue-sky laws are supposed to be a check on shady transactions.

There are few men who do not enjoy being jollied occasionally.

Many a man would be doomed to obscurity were it not for his enemies.

The religion of optimism is the greatest panacea for the ills of the country that is known.

When the time comes that the one without guilt has cast the first stone there will be a lot less investigations.

No, the country is not going to the demerit bowwows; only the extreme pessimists feel that way about it, and a pessimist is about as welcome to society as a polecat at a campmeeting.

Too Busy to Weep for Old Days.
And when a woman is trying to raise eight or nine children she doesn't waste much time regretting the passing of old-fashioned southern hospitality.—Dallas News.

JUST A FEW DAYS.

Just a few days left for you to do your Christmas shopping. Have you found presents for all your friends? Perhaps you have not and can't think of a thing to get them. If they have an automobile why not give something for the car this Christmas. We have many useful articles for the machine that everybody will enjoy. Come in and let us show you something that you can get and make your Christmas shopping easier.

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Wild Fowls' Triangle
When flocks of wild ducks and geese have to go long distances they form a triangle to cleave the air more easily, and the most courageous bird takes position at the forward angle. As this is a very fatiguing post, another bird ere long takes the place of the exhausted leader.

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COMMUNITY TREE

Everyone Should Cheerfully Make Contributions to This Cause.

As the Christmas season approaches nearer and nearer the Community Christmas tree also approaches nearer and nearer its destined mission. The gifts have begun to come in. People are feeling the drawing of the community spirit. Every citizen should feel this same spirit. Before the Community tree is dismantled it is hoped that every boy and girl and every man and woman will have felt this spirit. That we all may feel it let us all do our part to make it possible. Don't pass by the Christmas jars with a remark that it is the other fellow's job. It is your opportunity to spread the Christmas spirit in our community. Remember, also, that when the young ladies visit your place of business in the interest of the Christmas tree they come in the spirit of service and are giving of their time and effort. If no one has seen you and you have not seen one of the Christmas jars remember that your gift will be received at Hamilton & Ryan's drug store or at Fickard's drug store. Do not stifle your impulse toward the community tree. Make a special trip to one of these places if necessary in order to have your part in our community of spirit.

AUTO COLLISION

Mrs. Bertha Nelson Killed in Motor Truck at Dayton Sunday.

Mrs. Axel Nelson, 36, who was formerly Miss Bertha Collopy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Collopy of New Holland met almost instant death in an automobile accident at Dayton Sunday morning at 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Nelson was with her husband in a motor truck which turned over in a collision. She was caught beneath the heavy machine and died in the ambulance on the way to the hospital.

She is survived by her husband, two sons and an adopted son. There are six brothers and four sisters also surviving: Neal, of Kansas City; John of Turon, Kansas; Thomas and Frank of New Holland; Wardus, of Dayton; Mrs. John Long of Columbus; Mrs. John Ray, of near this city; and Miss Mabel Collopy, of Dayton.

The funeral services were held at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning and burial was made at Dayton.

LIBERALS HOLD ALOOF

Will Enter No Arrangement For a Coalition.

London, Dec. 19.—Former Premier Herbert Asquith served notice on both Premier Baldwin and Ramsey MacDonald, Labor leader, that the Liberals will enter no arrangement to support either party in the house of commons. "I will not move a finger to prolong the disastrous stewardship of the present government," declared Asquith. "The days of the present government are numbered. They have reduced this country to a cipher in the councils of the world. The Liberals have not entered into any negotiations with any other party for a coalition, and I intend to preserve that freedom uncompromised and unfettered in complete integrity. The Liberals will not support either a protective tariff or any proposal for a capital levy."

Wants Magnus Johnson's Seat.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Representative Schall, the blind member of congress from Minnesota, announced that he would be a candidate in the Republican primary in Minnesota next June for the senatorial nomination. The term of Senator Magnus Johnson, who was elected to succeed the late Senator Knute Nelson, will expire March 4, 1925, and he will be up for re-election for a full term as the Farmer-Labor party candidate next year. Schall is hopeful of winning the Republican nomination to oppose Johnson.

To Pardon Federal Prisoners.

Washington, Dec. 19.—President Coolidge notified Santa Claus to stop in at the white house and deliver a number of pardons to federal prisoners in ample time for them to get home by Christmas. In this instance it was Attorney General Daugherty, who already had made a preliminary study of a number of worthy cases. He said that he would submit the necessary documents for the president's signature within a few days.

Philanthropist to Rescue.

Providence, R. I., Dec. 19.—Jesse H. Metcalf, philanthropist and member of one of the oldest and wealthiest families in Rhode Island, volunteered to pay in full the accounts of 3,000 depositors in the Christmas savings club of the Cosmopolitan Trust company, recently ordered closed by the bank commissioner. More than \$159,000 tied up in the accounts will be released to the depositors for use before Christmas.

Post-Holiday Reflection.

A holiday is a day when most people feel less hollow than usual.

IRISH BUDDHIST PRIEST RETURNS FROM LHASSA

Dr. Hugh McGovern Succeeds in Penetrating Himalayas.

Calcutta.—Dr. Hugh McGovern, the Irish Buddhist priest, who recently succeeded in penetrating the world's greatest rampart of mountains, the Himalayas, behind which lies the forbidden city of Lhasa, has just returned to Darjeeling after having been arrested by British frontier authorities for violating Tibet's sacred ground.

The doctor reports that in his attempts to get into Lhasa he and his four companions suffered intense privations and exposure in the snow-clad mountains, which are 500 feet higher than the highest peaks in the United States.

After battling with snow storms day and night and being compelled more than once to retrace his steps, McGovern at Hangu was confronted with a strike of his servants, who refused to go further. He had to beat them into submission before they would resume the journey.

He kept his ultimate destination secret from his companions, fearing they would desert him if they knew the distance and the hardships. On the desolate mountain pass of Karula the Irish prelate revealed his objective. Only under compulsion did his companions continue the journey with him.

To avoid detection by the fanatical Tibetans, Dr. McGovern dyed his hair and painted his whole body so as to look like a native. Thus disguised and attired in the dress of a peasant, he played the role of coolie and cook.

After many weeks of trying experiences and reverses he finally reached Lhasa, only to be apprehended by the Tibetans, who ordered his immediate deportation. He is now with friends in Darjeeling and will soon leave for England.

An American who is planning to enter Tibet is Capt. Merl La Voy of Seattle, Wash. Armed with credentials from the American State department and permits from the Chinese government, La Voy with a number of American scientists and explorers will leave India late in the fall and proceed directly for Lhasa.

Convicts' Health Better Than That of City Folks

New York.—The annual report of Warden Lewis E. Lawes and other officials of Sing Sing prison show that the convicts enjoy as good or better health than persons at liberty, that the profits of the prison industries have been increased and that the behavior and morale of the convicts are improving.

"During the year there were but eight natural deaths in Sing Sing, or an average of .5 per cent," said the warden's report. "This compares very favorably with vital statistics outside of prison. The best week in the history of New York city, in September, showed a death rate of eight to a thousand."

"Excellent order has been the rule during the last year, and the morale of the men has been most satisfactory. There has been but two escapes, both men being recaptured within 48 hours."

"Profits from the prison industries were \$83,902.94, compared with \$38,000 for the preceding year. The sales total was less, however."

Of the 1,357 men received in the year, 582 were moderate drinkers of intoxicants, 7 were habitual drunkards and 868 did not use liquor. Eighteen were college men; 585 were married, 828 single; 34 were widowers and 10 had been divorced.

Find Bones of Llama in California Asphalt Bed

Oakland, Cal.—The skull and shank bones of a llama similar to those now existing in South America have been uncovered by a party of searchers, headed by Prof. C. Stock of the department of paleontology of the University of California here. The party will continue its excavations in the hope of turning up other interesting remains.

India to Send Forestry Students to Washington

Seattle.—India has chosen the forestry school of the University of Washington to train young men in logging until such instructions can be developed in that country, according to C. S. Martin, a representative of the Indian government. He said that a party of Indian students would arrive here in the fall for two-year courses in logging engineering.

Works 60 Years in Same Plant.

St. Marys, O.—Matt Dessinger took a brief vacation from his duties at a local blanket manufacturing mill in celebration of his seventy-fifth birthday anniversary. Almost sixty years ago Dessinger began his apprenticeship at the factory. He has been there since except for brief intervals when he worked in New Bremen and in Decatur, Ind.

Soviets to Sell Fishing Rights.

Tokyo.—Japanese fishing companies have agreed to pay the soviet authorities 1,500,000 yen for the right to operate 268 fishing stations on the Russian Pacific coast during the present season. These stations were obtained by Japanese at the auctions held at Vladivostok.

HERE AND THERE

Two bandits held up John Becker, proprietor of the Becker jewelry store at Wheeling, W. Va., and escaped with \$15,000 worth of diamonds.

A nominating petition to place the name of Henry Ford on the Democratic ballot in the preferential presidential primaries next April was filed at Lansing, Mich.

Dry agents captured a woman rum runner near Leonarda, N. J. They confiscated her motor car and 20 cases of liquor.

Letter carriers on rural routes will be given all of Christmas as a holiday under a decision reached by Postmaster General New. Carriers in the cities will be given the usual half holiday.

A yearling steer, the grand champion of a fat stock show for boys' and girls' feeding clubs, held at the East Buffalo (N. Y.) yard, fed by George Henry of Woodstock, O., sold for 60 cents per pound. Stock yard officials consider this a record price. The steer weighed 1,060 pounds.

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Yes---it's going to be a new clothes Christmas for boys.

We've asked 9 Mothers and 9 boys are going to have new suits and coats for Christmas---and the new suits are going to be (Jack O'Leathers.)

OH, what suits! With two pairs of trousers. With a style that will make a healthy boy leave his Radio to put on.

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